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Pursuant to the provisions of the city charter, the Board of Aldermen of Jersey City met at the Aldermanic Chamber, City Hall, on Tuesday, May 4, 1875, the first Tuesday, after the first Monday in May, at 7½ o'clock in the evening.

The Board was called to order by the City Clerk.

The roll was called and the following named Aldermen answered to their names and took their seats:

First Aldermanic District—Edward S. Smith, Lewis E. Wood.

Second Aldermanic District—George G. Brown, Dennis McLaughlin.

Third Aldermaic District—Daniel E. Soule, Marmaduke Tilden.

Fourth Aldermanic District—Christian Helms, Henry J. Powell.

Fifth Aldermanic District—Thomas D. Harrison, John Kase, Jr.

Sixth Aldermanic District—John Meyer, John T. Van Cleef.

On motion of Alderman Brown, Alderman McLaughlin was appointed President pro tempore.

The Board then proceeded to the election of a President for the ensuing year.

Alderman Harrison was nominated by Alderman Brown.

A balloting was had which resulted as follows: Aldermen Powell and Tilden acted as tellers. Thomes D. Harrison received eleven (11) votes. One blank was cast.

Whereupon Thomas D. Harrison having received the requisite number of votes was declared elected President of the Board of Aldermen for the ensuing year.

Aldermen Helms and Soule were appointed a committee to conduct the President to the chair.

The committee performed their duty and the President briefly addressed the Board in acknowledgement of the honor conferred upon him.

On motion of Alderman McLaughlin, the Board proceeded to the appointment of city clerk.

John E. Scott was nominated by Alderman Tilden.

Seconded by Alderman Brown.

Ballotings were had, which resulted as follows. The same tellers acted:

First balloting—There being thirteen (13) votes cast, it was declared null and void.

Second balloting—John E. Scott received ten (10) votes; Messerreau received one (1) vote. One blank vote was cast.

Whereupon John E. Scott having received the requisite number of votes, was declared appointed city clerk.

On motion of Alderman Brown, the Board proceeded to the appointment of city Marshal.

Adrian W. Marinus was nominated by Alderman Tilden.

George Deegan was nominated by Alderman Brown.

A balloting was had, which resulted as follows. The same tellers acted:

First balloting—There being fourteen (14) votes cast, it was declared null and void.

Second balloting—George Deegan received seven votes; Adrian W. Marinus received five votes.

Whereupon George Deegan having received the requisite number of votes was declared appointed city Marshal.

On motion of Alderman Brown the Board proceeded to the appointment of Overseer of the Poor.

John E. Hewitt was nominated by Alderman Brown.

Russel G. Dudley was nominated by Alderman Tilden.

A balloting was had which resulted as follows. The same tellers acted:

John E. Hewitt received seven (7) votes. Russel G. Dudley received four (4) votes. One blank was cast.

Whereupon John E. Hewitt having received the requisite number of votes was declared appointed Overseer of the Poor.

On motion of Alderman McLaughlin the Board proceeded to the appointment of Inspectors of Scales, Weights and Measures.

For the district comprising all that part of old Jersey City north of the Pennsylvania Railroad and east of Bergen Hill.

John Haley was nominated by Alderman Brown.

Henry F. Crawford was nominated by Alderman Tilden.

A balloting was had, which resulted as follows. The same tellers acted.

John Haley, received seven (7) votes: Henry F. Crawford received four (4) votes; ——Marsten received one (1) vote.

Whereupon John Haley having received the requisite number of votes was declared appointed Inspector of Scales, Weights and Measures for the District comprising that part of old Jersey City lying north of the Pennsylvania Railroad and east of Bergen Hill.

For the district comprising all that part of old Jersey City lying south of the Pennsylvania Railroad and east of Bergen Hill and Mill Creek.

James McBride was nominated by Alderman Brown.

George S. Gee was nominated by Alderman Tilden.

Ballotings were had, which resulted as follows: The same tellers acted.

First balloting:

There being thirteen (13) votes cast it was declared null and void.

Second balloting:

James McBride received seven (7) votes.

George S. Gee received four (4) votes.

One blank was cast

Whereupon James McBride, having received the requisite number of votes, was declared appointed Inspector of Scales, Weights and Measures for the district comprising all that part of old Jersey City lying south of the Pennsylvania Railroad and east of Bergen Hill and Mill Creek:

For all that part of Jersey City formerly known as the City of Hudson:

Patrick O'Neill was nominated by Alderman Brown.

John Pforr was nominated by Alderman Tilden.

A balloting was had, which resulted as follows:

The same tellers acted.

Patrick O'Neill received seven (7) votes.

John Pforr received five (5) votes.

Whereupon Patrick O'Neill, having received the requisite number of votes, was declared appointed Inspector of Scales, Weights and Measures for the district comprising all that part of Jersey City formerly known as the City of Hudson.

For all that part of Jersey City formerly known as the city of Bergen and township of Greenville:

John Scanlon was nominated by Alderman Brown.

William Marquard was nominated by Alderman Tilden.

A balloting was had which resulted as follows:

The same tellers acted.

John Scanlon received eight (8 votes.

William Marquard received four (4 votes.

Whereupon John Scanlon having received the requisite number of votes was declared appointed Inspectors of Scales, Weights and Measures for that part of old Jersey City formerly known as the city of Bergen and township of Greenville.

On motion of Alderman Brown the Board proceeded to the appointment of City Weighers and Measurers.

R. McAghon, C. Rosenthal, M. Nolan, M. Rouse, H. Steele, I Kaylor, E. Smith, were nominated by Alderman Brown.

On motion of Alderman Tilden the Board took a recess of five minutes.

On re-assembling, Alderman Brown, by consent of the Board, withdrew the nominations.

On motion of Alderman Brown, the Board proceeded to the appointment of pound keepers.

From the former city of Jersey City:

Robert Harriott was nominated by Alderman Tilden.

Michael Donovan was nominated by Alderman Brown.

A balloting was had, which resulted as follows. The same tellers acted:

Michael Donovan received eight (8) votes; Robert Harriott received four (4) votes.

Whereuhon Michael Donovan having received the requisite number of votes was declared appointed pound keeper from the former city of Jersey City.

From the former city of Bergen:

Frederick Haag was nominated by Alderman Brown.

A balloting was had, which resulted as follows The same tellers acted:

Frederick Haag received eleven (11) votes; William C. White received one (1) vote.

Whereupon Frederick Haag having received the requisite number of votes, was declared appointed pound keeper from the former city of Bergen.

From the former City of Hudson:

Edward Reilly was nominated by Alderman Brown.

Alexander McJimpsey was nominated by Alderman Tilden.

A balloting was had, which resulted as follows: The same tellers acted.

Edward Reilly received seven (7) votes; Alexexander McJimpsey received four (4) votes; one blank was cast.

Whereupon Edward Reilly having received the requisite number of votes was declared appointed Poundkeeper from the former city of Hudson.

The following resolution was offered by Alderman Tilden and adopted:

Resolved, That the rules and orders of the late Board be adopted for the government of the present Board, and that a committee of three be appointed to draft new rules and regulations for the government of this Board of Aldermen.

Aldermen Tilden, Smith and Van Cleef were appointed the committee.

By Alderman McLaughlin and adopted:

Resolved, That the "Argus" is hereby designated as the paper to furnish at each meeting fifty copies of the minutes in manual form.

By Alderman Tilden and adopted:

Resolved, That the hour of meeting of this Board until its further order shall be 7½ o'clock, P. M.

On motion of Alderman Smith the Board then adjourned.

JOHN E. SCOTT, City Clerk.

Regular meeting at the Aldermanic Chamber, City Hall, Tuesday, May 11, 1875, at 7½ o'clock, P. M.

Present—President Harrison and Aldermen Brown, Helms, Kase, McLaughlin, Meyer, Powell, Smith, Soule, Van Cleef and Wood.

Absent—Alderman Tilden.

The minutes of the organization meeting of the 4th inst. were approved as printed in manual form on motion of Alderman McLaughlin.

PRESENTATION OF PETITIONS, ETC.

Petitions, etc., were presented, received and disposed of, as follows:

The following communication was presented, received, and on motion of Alderman Smith was ordered filed:

JERSEY CITY, May 11, 1875.

To the Hon. the Common Council of Jersey City:

Gentlemen—In consideration of the verdict of the jury in the case between Archibald White, Esq., and myself, I do most respectfully resign my seat in the Board of Aldermen from the Third Aldermanic District, to take effect immediately.

MARMADUKE TILDEN.

Petition of Robert Harriott, to be reappointed Pound Keeper, recommended by Abraham Van Horne and others.

Laid upon the table on motion of Alderman McLaughlin.

Petition of Thomas H. Clynes, for permission to remove a frame building from the west to the east side of Provost street.

Granted on motion of Alderman Brown.

Petition of Henry Traphagen, for permission to erect an awning in front of his premises No. 238 Thirteenth street.

Granted on motion of Alderman McLaughlin.

Petition of Isaac Smith, for permission to erect an awning in front of his premises on Monticello avenue, near Vetterlein Place.

Granted on motion of Alderman Kase.

Petition of Edwin Jennings, for permission to erect an awning in front of his premises, corner Wayne and Varick streets.

Granted on motion of Alderman Smith.

Petition of Grady and Winters, tenants, and Henry A. Boorum, owner, for permission to erect an awning in front of 24 Newark avenue.

Granted on motion of Alderman Brown.

Petition of Edwin Moore, for permission to erect a sign across sidewalk in front of store 116 Newark avenue.

Granted on Motion of Alderman Smith.

Petition of Thomas R. Porter, for permission to place a sign across the sidewalk in front of his premises, No. 123 Washington street.

Granted on motion of Alderman Brown.

Petition of John Shields, owner, and Henry Perhmutter, tenant, for permission to place a sign across the sidewalk in front of premises No. 100 Newark avenue.

Granted on motion of Alderman Brown.

Petition of J. B. Busch, for permission to erect a barber's pole in front of his place of business, 537 Seventh street.

Granted on motion of Alderman McLaughlin.

Petition of Furst & Co., for permission to hang a curtain in front of store 64 Newark avenue.

Referred to Committee on Streets when appointed.

For Restaurant Licenses, First District—John Morrow, 289 Grove street; Martin B. Cullen, 127 Hudson street; T. W. Kirk, 24 York street; Auguste Mullery, 31 Montgomery street.

Second District—Thomas Ryan, 115 Steuben street; Charles Brady, 379 First street; William Nugent, 102 Steuben street; William A. Martin, 196 Warren street; Cornelius Murphy, 191 Warren street; Patrick Malone, 111 Morgan street; Thomas Quinlan, 441 Newark avenue; Michael Phillips, 363 Second street; Mrs. Donnelly, 289 Railroad avenue; Laurence Hohmann, 425 Henderson street.

Third District—Patrick Baxter, 317 First street.

Fourth District—Frederick Luther, 99 Franklin street; Senez Noppel, Beacon near Central avenue; Christopher Heckman, New York avenue near Franklin street; Peter Meinecke, 172 Congress street; Sarah Corrigan, St. Paul's near Summit avenue.

Fifth District—B. Devanney, 70 Hoboken avenue; Cornelius J. Donovan, 592 Newark avenue.

Sixth District—George W. Green, corner Ocean avenue and Union street.

Referred to Committee on Liquor Licenses when appointed.

For Transfer of Restaurant Licenses—No. 799, Arthur Buchanan, to 106 Steuben street, 2d district.

No. 762, Samuel Forrest, to Bernard Croson, corner Steuben and Warren streets, 2d district.

No. 175, Charles Robinson, 213 Provost street, 2d district, to Frank Dooley.

No. 152, Claus. Rathgen, to Catherine Dougherty, 26 Jersey avenue, 2d district.

No. 30, Francis Reilly, to Grand street, near Fairmount avenue, 2d district.

No. 102, James Donnelly, to 315 First street, 3d district.

No. 365, Thomas Moore, to P. Tully, 177 Seventh street, 2d district.

No. 212, John Sheridan, to 313 First street, 3d district.

No. 438, George Gleistein, Central avenue near Congress street, to Frederick W. Sina.

No. 476, Christian A. Schmidt, to corner New York avenue and Hutton street, 4th district.

No. 527, J. Mierstermann, corner Central avenue and Paterson Plank Road, 4th district, to A. E. Brehm.

No. 345, John Gavin, corner Orchard and Crawford street, 5th district, to Patrick Collins.

No. 599, John Kahlmann, to corner Monticello and Gardner avenues, 5th district.

No. 603, Frederick Ruempler, 600 Newark avenue, 5th district, to Ruempler & Middendorf.

No. 670, Henry Fischer, to corner Barrow street and Communipaw avenue, 6th district.

No. 681, Patrick Talon, to corner Ash street and Pacific avenue, 6th district.

Granted on motion of Alderman McLaughlin.

For Trade Licenses, to vend meat, fish, fruit and vegetables—William Buddenbawn, Luke Burke, John W. Field, Arnold Polster, Conrad Yoerg, John Howe, H. J. Elkington, and Isaac Brown.

To vend merchandise other than meat, fish, fruit, &c.—Of Thomas Dillon, John McMahon, Samuel Riley, Patrick Moriarty, Alois Santer, and John Greany.

For Public Porter, Thomas Scott.

Granted on motion of Alderman Powell.

PRESENTATION OF CLAIMS.

Claims were presented, received and disposed of as follows:

Of M. Egan, $65.70; Michael G. Lennen, $10; H. W. Leonard, $6.50; W. and J. Symes, $104.10.

Referred to Committee on Alms, when appointed.

Of E. S. Ashley, $75; Bergen Library Association, $100; John Boyd, $171.92; N. B. Shafer, $190.83.

Referred to Committee on Baths and Armories when appointed.

Of John Fitzpatrick, $40; G. P. Howell, Agent, $250; Thomas McCullough, $40; Robert Ruddick, $10; James Thompson, $40.

Referred to Committee on Public Grounds and Buildings when appointed.

Of John Anness, $5; "The Argus," $85.45; E. C. De La Vergne, $250 and $7.50.

Referred to Committee on Printing, Stationery and Supplies, when appointed.

OFFICERS' COMMUNICATIONS.

The City Clerk laid before the Board the following communication from his Honor the Mayor, filed in the City Clerk's office April 29, 1875, and the same was read, received, and ordered to be entered at large on the journal of proceedings.

MAYOR'S OFFICE, CITY HALL,
JERSEY CITY, April 28, 1875.

To the Honorable the Board of Aldermen of Jersey City:

Gentlemen—I herewith return to you without my approval the annexed resolutions to pay John Schroll fifty-two dollars and seventy-five cents for groceries for out door poor, and also claim of Joseph Warren for thirty-eight dollars and fifty cents, passed by your Board April 20, 1875, and presented to me on the 22d inst., for the folloping reasons:

First—As to the claim of John Schroll, because the claim is too general, and should set out the particular goods sold and delivered to the city, and the orders for the same should be annexed to claim.

Second—As to claim of Joseph Warren, this should also state items, and it seems that the amount charged for the three abandonment cases is too high.

Claims of this kind should be referred to the City Attorney for his approval. Oftentimes cases are brought on complaint of the Overseer of the Poor of which the City Attorney has no information or knowledge, and in my opinion he should receive notice, so that the interests of the city may be guarded.

Respectfully yours

HENRY TRAPHAGEN, Mayor.

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Mayor's office, City Hall,
Jersey City, April 28, 1875.

To the Honorable Board of Aldermen of Jersey City:

Gentlemen—I return herewith, without my signature, the annexed resolution passed by your Board April, 20, 1875, and presented to me on the 22d inst., granting permission to Patrick Murphy to move the building known as No. 210 Fourth street, for the following reason, viz.: Because the moving of the building prayed for in the annexed resolution will greatly interfere with the public travel on Jersey avenue, one of the main thoroughfares of our city, but would suggest that another route be taken whereby the public travel will not be so much interfered with.

Respectfully yours.

HENRY TRAPHAGEN,
Mayor.

Resolved, That permission be granted to Patrick Murphy to move the building known as 210 Fourth street, along Fourth street to Jersey avenue, through Jersey avenue to Wayne street and through Wayne street to lot No. 333, the removal to be done under the direction of the Street Commissioner and as petitioned for at this meeting.

A communication from C. S. See, clerk of the Board of Finance and Taxation, submitting a copy of a resolution adopted by said Board April 29, 1875, and approved by the Mayor May 1, 1875, designating The Argus as an official paper, in consequence of a change of name from American Standard to The Argus, was presented, received and ordered filed.

REPORT OF SELECT COMMITTEE.

The special committee appointed on the 4th inst. to draft new rules of order, &c., presented a report submitting rules and regulations and recommending the adoption of the following resolution:

Resolved, That the rules of order reported at this meeting by the special committee be adopted and that one hundred copies be printed in book form under the direction of the Committee on Printing.

The report was received and the resolution adopted.

MISCELLANEOUS BUSINESS.

Resolutions were presented, received and disposed of as follows:

By Alderman Van Cleef and adopted:

Resolved, That a committee of three be appointed to arrange for the celebration of our national anniversary on the Fourth day of July, 1875, and that the said committee be authorized to expend for said purpose an amount not to exceed the sum of two thousand dollars.

Aldermen Van Cleef, McLaughlin and Kase were appointed the committee.

By Alderman McLaughlin and adopted:

Resolved, That a committee of three be appointed to wait on his Honor the Mayor and notify him that the Board has organized and is now prepared to receive any communication he may desire to make.

Aldermen McLaughlin, Brown and Soule were appointed the committee.

On motion of Alderman McLaughlin the Board took a recess for fifteen minutes.

On reassembling the roll was called with the following result:

Present—President Harrison and Aldermen Helms, Kase, Meyer, Powell, Smith, Van Cleef and Wood.

The following resolution was offered by Alderman Powell and adopted:

Resolved, That the action had at this meeting in granting trade licenses be reconsidered, and that said petitions be referred to the Committee on Trade Licenses when appointed.

On motion of Alderman Powell the Board then adjourned.

JOHN E. SCOTT, City Clerk.

Regular meeting at the Aldermanic Chamber, City Hall, Tuesday, May 18, 1875, at 7½ o'clock p.m.

Present—All the members of the Board; Alderman White appearing from the Third District.

The minutes of the regular meeting of 11th inst were approved as printed in manual form, on motion of Alderman Brown.

The President announced the following as the Standing Committees of the Board:

Alms—Aldermen Smith, Soule, and Powell.

Baths and Armories—Aldermen Wood, Bowen, and Kase.

Finance—Aldermen Soule, Wood, and Van Cleef.

Laws and Ordinances—Aldermen Kase, Van Cleef, and McLaughlin.

Liquor Licenses—Aldermen McLaughlin, Meyer, and White.

Public Grounds and Buildings—Aldermen White, Helms, and Brown.

Printing, Stationery and Supplies—Aldermen Brown, Kase, and Wood.

Streets—Aldermen Van Cleef, Helms, and White.

Trade Licenses—Aldermen Powell, McLaughlin, and Meyer.

On motion of Alderman McLaughlin, the rules were by unanimous consent suspended, and the Special Committee appointed on the 11th inst. to wait on the Mayor and inform him of the organization of the Board, presented a report submitting a message from the Mayor.

The report was received and the message was read, received, and on motion of Alderman Brown, ordered to be entered at large in the minutes, said communication being as follows:

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT, CITY HALL,
Jersey City, May 18, 1875.

To the Honorable the Board of Aldermen of Jersey City:

Gentlemen—I congratulate you upon your speedy organization. It shows the feeling and desire you have to enter upon the duties which our fellow-citizens have entrusted to your care and custody.

The charter of our city does not make it imperative upon me to send in a message, yet I feel it my duty to communicate with you upon a subject which is of vital interest to our city.

We are burdened with a large debt, and have been laboring under the payment of large rates of taxation, and the question now for us to consider is how to lessen that burden and not effect the prosperity and enterprise of our city. I would, therefore, recommend to your consideration the economical expenditure of money in the various departments, the reduction of salaries, the appointment of honest and capable men to all positions of trust, the reduction of unnecessary clerks, and that you will avoid the appointment of persons for mere sinecure purposes.

As to the expenditure of money in the various departments, I would suggest the purchase of only things that are necessary, and at the lowest rates they can be procured. There is no reason why a corporation should pay more than a private individual, especially when the bills are promptly paid, and the Auditing Committee should see that the prices charged do not exceed the market price; by this means a great deal of money can be saved. The salaries and the number of clerks can be reduced, as the amount of labor to be performed during the coming year will not be as great as that of former years, and by dispensing with unnecessary help a large amount may be saved. Should it, however, become necessary at any period to employ more assistance it can be engaged temporarily. You can, of course, see the appropriateness of appointing honest, faithful and capable men to the various positions, and if this rule had been adopted years ago our city would not be the sufferer she is to-day.

Your duties under the present charter are not as onerous as have formerly been imposed upon the Board of Aldermen of Jersey City, yet, nevertheless, they should be performed with a zeal and a desire that whatever may be done should be performed for the best interest and prosperity of our city.

The affairs of the city should be managed in just that prudent careful way that we would manage our own private affairs, the mere fact of the money belonging to the city and not coming out of our own private purses should not be an excuse for any wilful expenditure of the public funds.

By reference to the Comptroller's report hereto annexed, you will see that our debt in the year 1870, at the time of the consolidation of the three cities amounted to the sum of $5 072,716.30, in the year 1871, at the time of the passage of this charter, it amounted to $7,410,672 32, which you will see is nearly double. In the same year our water debt amounted to $2,061,252, and in the short space of four years it has over doubled itself and now amounts to $4,629,000, which clearly shows the careless and reckless expenditure of money; work was given out without contracts being awarded contracts were enlarged upon and changed without lawful authority, whereby our city has paid out money that it should not have done, and those public servants that have been the means of ordering the work done where no contract has been awarded, or where the contracts have been enlarged upon and changed, are amenable to the law, and are personally responsible, for the moment a public servant exceeds the duty prescribed in our charter, he becomes personally liable. And at this point, I would call the attention of the Board of Finance and Taxation as I have heretofore done to the thorough examination of all contracts for work done since the year 1871, or such work as may have been incomplete and unfinished at that time, and I would ask that after the same has been thoroughly examined into, that where the work done has exceeded the contract, and where the same has been done by any member of any of the Boards without authority, that the counsel for the city be instructed to take such action as in his judgment the cases may require

The Board of Finance and Taxation by the amendments to the charter are made in effect a board of audit with power to revise the proceedings of the several boards of the city government, and this power if used prudently, and with good judgment, may be an effective check upon the reckless expenditure of money in the various departments, It is their duty to see that all just claims against the city are promptly paid, whereby the credit of our city may be sustained, and it would be well that some means should be devised for the payment of the debt of the various cities at the time of their consolidation, so that the same may be gradually diminished, there having been no reduction since our consolidation, therefore I trust that the Board may devise some plan whereby we may obtain the desired relief by our next Legislature. I will now call your attention to the police department, this department may be considered in an efficient state, and very few robberies have occurred considering the vast territory which has to be patrolled; yet there seems to me to have been a useless expenditure of money in the hospital department now under the control of this department. I have heretofore called the attention of the Board to the extravagant prices paid for provisions, medicines, &c., and in my opinion they far exceed that of any other city, when compared with the number of patients that are admitted during the year. I deem it necessary to call the attention of the Commissioners to that point again as the evil has not been remedied.

I would further ask that the Board of Police Commissioners furnish to the clerk and to the police justices, proper and sufficient books of account. The book of account used by the clerk should be similar to those now used in the various departments of the city. The book should state the name of the claimant, the amount claimed, for what, what has been done with each claim, and there should also be an index to the books whereby one can readily see the number of bills each and every person presents to the Board. The Police Justices should keep a strict account of the amount of fines imposed upon each person, and whether paid by the prisoner or if confined on account of inability to pay fine, or otherwise, so that the same can be exhibited to any person interested in our city, and the monies received by such Jus-

tices should be paid over as directed by the Charter. These books I consider necessary to prevent the payment of money twice for the same thing, and also that the city may receive the money derived in the way of fines.

As to the Fire Department I would say that it is as well managed as any of the other departments of the city, and will compare favorably with any similar department in the country. We have had very little property destroyed considering the number of fires during the year, which I am happy to say is owing in a great measure to the energy, activity and perseverance of our firemen, and it is a great improvement upon the old volunteer system.

I think, however, that the expenses of this department might also be curtailed without destroying the efficiency of the same.

As to the Board of Education I would say that I have inspected about all the schools and find the same in good order and that they are well attended. School houses of more substantial character are needed in some parts of the city, which will be provided in time. There also seems to be room for economy in this department. A great deal of money is annually expended in the repairs which might be curtailed. The supplies to the schools seems to be enormous, and perhaps is caused by the janitors informing the Directors that it is necessary to have such and such supplies, which could be remedied by a careful examination and inspection of the supplies on hand by the Directors in charge of such schools.

And again the expenditures in this department might be lessened by having one principal to each school who would have the charge and inspection of the whole school, but as it is I have noticed that in some of the schools there are two principals who do neither teach or instruct the scholars, which number of principals I deem is unnecessary.

Upon the Board of Public Works depends in a great measure what improvements shall be made in our city.

It may be necessary during the present year to pave and sewer quite a number of the principal streets and I trust that this Board will see that all necessary improvements for the prosperity of our city and comfort of our citizens are made, and yet I hope as there are few improvements in projection that you will curtail the expenses in your department, which can be done by the removal of unnecessary clerks and the lowering of salaries.

With these few remarks on economy I bring my communication to a close. I shall, however, take pleasure in advising with you from time to time as the necessity of the occasion may require. Trusting that we may assist each other in the administration of our city government and that we may perform our respective duties to the best of our ability, and for the interest of our city I remain yours, &c.,

HENRY TRAPHAGEN, Mayor.

Bonded debt of the three cities of Jersey City, city of Bergen and Hudson City on the first Monday of May, 1870, as per published report of the commissioners appointed under the act of consolidation:

JERSEY CITY.

General Bonded Debt	$1,033,231 40
Water Bonded Debt	1,518,000 00
Assessment Certificates	217,412 38
Total	$2,768,643 78

CITY OF BERGEN.

General bonded debt	$ 415,754 00
Temporary Loan	75,000 00
Assessment Bonds	550,000 00
Assessment Improvement Certificates	602,875 08
Total	$1,643,629 08

HUDSON CITY.

General Bonded Debt	$ 420,492 70
Temporary Loan	20,000 00
Assessment Improvement Certificates	219,950 74
Total	$ 660,443 44
Grand Total	$5,072,716 30

General Bonded Debt	$1,934,478 10
Water Bonded Debt	1,518,000 00
Assessment Bonded Debt	1,590,238 20
Total	$5,072,716 30

BONDED DEBT OF JERSEY CITY MAY 1, 1871.

General Bonded Debt	$1,907,760 34
Assessment Bonded Debt	1,550,000 00
Water Bonded Debt	2,061,252 00
Temporary Loan Bonds	500,000 00
Improvement Certificates	1,478,159 98
Total	$7,496,672 32
Less Bonds in Sinking Fund	86,000 00
	$7,410,672 32

BONDED DEBT MAY 1, 1875.

GENERAL BONDED DEBT.

Old Jersey City	$ 921,000 00
City of Bergen	253,000 00
Hudson City	171,050 00
Greenville	260,000 00
New Jersey City	1,985,000 00
	$3,580,050 00

ASSESSMENT BONDED DEBT.

City of Bergen	$ 450,000 00
New Jersey City Bonds	5,610,500 00
Do. Improvement certificates	86,500 00
	$6 147,000 00

WATER BONDED DEBT.

Water Bonds, including all issues	$4,629,000 00
	$14,356,050 00
Less Bonds in Sinking Fund	525,565 00
	$13,830 485 00

COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE,
JERSEY CITY,
May 18, 1875.

E. A. CARMAN,
Comptroller.

PRESENTATION OF PETITIONS.

Petitions etc., were presented, received and disposed of as follows:

Petition of James H. Williams for permission to erect an awning in front of premises No. 153 Newark avenue.

Granted on motion of Alderman Smith.

Petition of A. J. Rapp for permission to erect an awning in front of his premises on Grand street, between Westervelt street and Ivy Place.

Granted on motion of Alderman Van Cleef.

Petition of August Schmand for permission to place a sign over sidewalk in front of his premises on Griffith street, between Central and Summit avenues.

Granted on motion of Alderman Powell.

Petition of McBride Bros., for permission to place a sign across sidewalk in front of premises No. 12 Newark avenue.

Granted on motion of Alderman Wood.

Petition of J. H. Vondy for permission to place a sign post on outer edge of sidewalk in front of premises on Montgomery street near Grove street.

Granted on motion of Alderman Wood.

Petition of A. M. Finck for permission to place a post in front of premises on Newark avenue, near Court House, for the tying of horses.

Granted on motion of Alderman Powell.

For Restaurant Licenses—

Joseph Manning, Cornelison avenue, near Fairmount avenue, 2d District.

John Hamlin, Hoboken near Summit avenue, 5th District.

Charles Lehmann, 410 Palisade avenue, 4th District.

William Benaken, cor. Laidlaw and Oakland avenues, 4th District.

F. W. Clemens, Jr., cor. Hancock avenue and Hutton street, 4th District.

Matthew Jennings, 102 Central avenue, 4th District.

Referred to Committee on Liquor Licenses.

For Transfer of Restaurant Licenses:

Patrick Morris, No. 226 to 249 Monmouth street, 2d district.

Charles Birdsall, No. 382 to 216 Barrow street, 3d district.

James Fitzgerald, No. 250 to James Duggan,

323 Grove street, 3d district; Martin Haley, No. 422, to Sylvester Byrne.

Granted, on motion of Alderman McLaughlin.

For Trade Licenses,

Of James H. Wood and August Chambert to vend meat, fish, fruit and vegeta les.

Of Wm. A. Scott to vend merchandise other than meat, fish, &c.

Of James Fitzgerald to keep a junk shop at 197 Provost street, 2d district.

Referred to Committee on Trade Licenses.

PRESENTATION OF CLAIMS.

Claims were presented, received, and disposed of as follows:

Of H. H. Brinkerhoff, $26.04; R. G. Dudley, $20 and $14.45; William Hughes, $10; William Kelly, $37.31; Henry V. Mandevil e, $20; Wm. C. Matthews, $27.70; John Ohle, $68; W. H. Speer, $10; John True, $45.50; C. Walter, $4.80.

Referred to Committee on Alms.

Of Farrier & Garretson, $164.05; Mary C. Pratt $100 and $100; Thomas F. Sullivan, $23,

Referred to Committee on Bands and Armories.

Of A. W. Mallnus, $27.53.

Referred to Committee on Finance.

Of Thomas W. Miles, $10.

Referred to Committee on Laws and Ordinances

Of Farrier & Garretson, $81.50, $54.35 and $23.

Referred to Committee on Public Grounds and Buildings.

Of Bevan & Stephens, $18.

Referred to Committee on Printing, Stationery and Supplies.

OFFICERS' COMMUNICATIONS.

The following communication from the Mayor was presented and received:

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT, City Hall,
Jersey City, May 18, 1875.

To the Hono able the Board of Aldermen of Jersey City:

Gentlemen—In accordance with and by virtue of an act of the Legislature of the State of New Jersey entitled "An act to provide for the continuation of the Ravine Road sewer in the city of Jersey City and the city of Hoboken," approved April 9, 1875, I am directed to nominate and appoint two commissioners, with your consent and approval, who shall be residents and freeholders of Jersey City, who are, in connection with the commissioners appointed by the city of Hoboken, to contruct a sewer, commencing at the outlet or termination of the Ravine Road sewer in Jersey City, thence to a convenient point in the city of Jersey City where the said sewer can be connected with one of the sewers now built and established in the city of Jersey City.

I do therefore nominate and appoint Hon. John R. McPherson and Conrad A. Houghtaling, residents and freeholders, to be such commissioners, and would respectfully ask your concurrence.

With respect I am

Yours, &c.
HENRY TRAPHAGEN,
Mayor.

Alderman McLaughlin moved that the appointments be confirmed.

The motion was adopted by the following vote, the yeas and nays having been ordered and taken on the call of the President:

Yeas—All the members of the Board--twelve in number.

A communication from the Board of Police Commissioners submitting a copy of a resolution adopted by said Board May 3, 1875, requesting the Board of Aldermen to fix the license fee of inns and taverns and restaurants at $100 per annum, was presented, received and on motion of Alderman McLaughlin, laid upon the table.

The city clerk laid before the Board a summons served upon him on the 17th inst. at 1:45 o'clock P. M., issued by the Supreme Court of the State at the suit of George S. Plympton, who sues for the use and benefit of Henry Rousel.

The summons was referred to the Corporation Attorney.

REPORT OF SELECT COMMITTEE.

The special committee appointed March 23, 187-, by the late Board, and to whom was referred at said date with power to contract with the lowest bidder the proposals presented at said date for contract to furnish, paint and put up house numbers, presented a report setting forth that they awarded the contract to William H. Armstrong, the lowest bidder, and that a contract has been prepared by the Corporation Attorney and properly executed and filed in the Comptroller's office and the work is now in progress.

The report was received and ordered filed.

MISCELLANEOUS BUSINESS

Resolutions were presented, received and disposed of as follows:

By Alderman Smith, and adopted,

Resolved, That all petitions and claims now in possession of the City Clerk and referred during the past official year to committees when appointed, be referred to the appropriate committees of the present Board.

By Alderman Cleef and adopted.

Resolved, That the sum of twenty-two dollars be paid to Henry C. Kelsey, Secretary of State, for certified copies of Legislative Enactments as per statement annexed.

By Alderman Helms, and adopted.

Resolved, That the Board of Police Commissioners be requested to direct the officers of their department to notify the keepers of all places where intoxicating liquors are sold, and also all auctioneers, pedolers, junk dealers, porters, carmen and expressmen, that their licenses expire July 1, 1875, and to all who are required to make application to the Board of Aldermen that such application must be made during the month of June, under the penalties prescribed by law.

Resolved, That a notice to the above effect be published by the City Clerk in the official papers.

By Alderman Van Cleef and adopted:

Resolved, That a special committee of one be appointed to act with a like committee from the Board of Finance and Taxation and Board of Public Works for the purpose of conferring with the authorities of the Pennsylvania Railroad Company in order that said committee may report some method by which the crossings of said railroad may be rendered more safe and convenient for public use.

Alderman Van Cleef was appointed the committee.

By Alderman White and adopted:

Resolved, That the resolution adopted Sept. 1st, 1874, requesting the Board of Public Works to stop the sprinkling of the wooden pavement with water be rescinded.

By Alderman McLaughlin and adopted:

Resolved, That five hundred copies of the communication from his Honor the Mayor be printed in pamphlet form under the direction of the Committee on Printing, Stationery and Supplies.

The following entitled ordinance was presented by Alderman McLaughlin and the same was received, laid upon the table, and ordered to be printed on slips for the use of the Board, viz:

"An ordinance amendatory to the ordinance passed June 6, 1871, entitled, "An ordinance providing for the appointment, prescribing the powers and duties, and regulating the compensation of Inspectors of Scales, Weights and Measures.

On motion of Alderman Brown the Board then adjourned.

JOHN E. SCOTT, City Clerk.

Regular meeting at the Aldermanic Chamber, City Hall, Tuesday, May 25, 1875, at 7½ o'clock, P. M.

Present—All the members of the Board.

The minutes of the regular meeting of the 18th inst. were approved as printed in manual form on motion of Alderman Smith.

PRESENTATION OF PETITIONS, ETC.

Petitions, etc., were presented, received and disposed of, as follows:

Communication from Hon. John R. McPherson, declining the appointment of Commissioner on extension of Ravine road sewer, for want of time to attend to its duties and returning thanks to the Mayor and Aldermen.

Received and ordered filed.

Petition of Henry Schmidt, for permission to remove a building from Seaview to Atlantic avenue.

Referred to Committee on Streets:

Petition of C. Diercksen for permission to remove the old school house No. 8, from the west to the east side of Sherman avenue.

Referred to Committee on Streets.

Petition of M. A. Driscoll, for permission to remove a frame building from Palisade avenue, near Congress street to Congress street near New York avenue.

Referred to Committee on Streets.

Petition of F. W. Clemens, for permission to erect a sign across side walk in front of premises corner Hutton street and Hancock avenue.

Referred to Committee on Streets.

Petition of Joseph Warren, agent, for permission to erect a sign over sidewalk in front of premises No. 164 Newark avenue.

Referred to Committee on Streets.

Petition of Christian Brown to erect a sign over sidewalk at 48 York street.

Alderman Smith moved,

"That the prayer of the petitioner be granted."

The motion was rejected by the following vote, the yeas and nays having been ordered and taken on the call of the President.

Yeas—President Harrison and Aldermen Brown, Helms, Powell, Smith and Wood.

Nays—Aldermen Kase, McLaughlin, Meyer, Soule, Van Cleef and White.

The petition was referred to the Committee on Streets.

Petition of Michael Shannon, for permission to store paving blocks at foot of Morgan street, 1st street, between Henderson and Greene streets, and Sixth street between Newark avenue and Monmouth street, for the space of 90 days.

Alderman Powell moved, That the prayer of the petitioner be granted.

Alderman Van Cleef moved, That the petition be referred to the committee on streets with power.

The motion by Alderman Powell was rejected by the following vote, the yeas and nays having been ordered and taken on the call of the President.

Yeas—Aldermen Brown, Powell, Smith and Wood.

Nays—President Harrison, and Aldermen Helms, Kase, McLaughlin, Meyer, Soule, Van Cleef and White.

The motion by Alderman Van Cleef was adopted by the following vote, the yeas and nays having been ordered and taken on the call of the President.

Yeas—President Harrison and Aldermen Brown, Helms, Kase, McLaughlin, Meyer, Powell, Soule, Van Cleef, White and Wood.

Nay—Alderman Smith.

Petition of B. B. Davis for permission to place a sign on post close to curbstone in front of premises on Summit avenue, near Five Corners.

Granted on motion of Alderman Kase.

Petition of John Larkin for permission to erect a sign across sidewalk in front of No. 19 Essex street.

Granted on motion of Alderman Smith.

Petition of James Flannigan for remission of fine for alleged violation of ordinance for selling liquor without a license.

The following preamble and resolution in relation thereto were offered by Alderman White and adopted:

Whereas, James Flannigan, of 133 Steuben street, applied July 1, 1874, for a Restaurant License, which was granted September 1, 1874, and by his own ignorance, on complaint being made by an officer, was fined $25 for not having a license, which fine he promptly paid, therefore

Resolved, That the sum of twenty-five dollars be paid to James Flannigan to refund fine erroneously imposed for failure to have a restaurant license.

Petition of Chas. P. Knœller, Chairman of Committee of G. Van Houten Post No. 3, G. A. R.; E. P. Reichhelm, Commander, and D. McNeil, M. D., Chairman of Decoration Committee for G. H. Thomas Post, No. 29, G. A. R., and G. P. Robinson, Chairman of Decoration Committee for Zabriskie Post No. 38, G. A. R., for an appropriation for flowers, music, &c., for "Decoration Day."

The following preamble and resolution in relation thereto were offered by Alderman Powell.

Whereas, the appropriations as fixed by the Board of Finance and Taxation, July 30, 1874, and communicated to this Board, September 1, 1874, allows of no expenditure for Decoration Day; therefore,

Resolved, That this Board regret the necessity which compels it to refrain from making the usual donation towards defraying the expenses incident to a proper observance of Decoration Day.

On motion of Alderman McLaughlin the petition and resolution were referred to the Special Committee on Celebration of the Fourth of July.

For Restaurant Licenses:

First District—James Murtha. 110 Morris street,

Second District—Dennis Lenahan, 346 Wayne street.

Fourth District—John Tagerty, 5 Germania avenue; D. Everitt, 109 Laidlaw avenue.

Fifth District—Isaac N. Davies, Jr., 602 Newark avenue.

Referred to Committee on Liquor Licenses.

For transfer of Restaurant Licenses;

Of James Gorman, No. 109, to Patrick Kelly; of George Germann, No. 414, to Charles Meuchlenbeck.

Referred to Committee on Liquor Licenses.

Petitions of John Brown and William Meyer for licenses to vend meat, fish, fruit and vegetables.

Referred to Committee on Trade Licenses.

Petition of Wolf Sussmann for a license to vend cigars and tobacco.

Referred to Committee on Trade Licenses.

Petition of John Meany for a license to keep a junk shop at 356 Wayne street, 2d District.

Referred to Committee on Trade Licenses.

PRESENTATION OF CLAIMS.

Claims were presented, received and disposed of as follows:

Of H. W. Leonard, $33.05, and John Schroll, $52.75.

Referred to Committee on Alms.

Of Farrier & Garretson, $168.97.

Referred to Committee on Baths and Armories.

Of Pangborn, Dunning & Dear, $245.35.

Referred to Committee on Printing, Stationery and Supplies.

OFFICERS' COMMUNICATIONS.

A communication from the City Comptroller enclosing the following statement of expenditures of Board of Aldermen from December 1st, 1874, to date, and sets forth that bills for support of out-door poor, amounting to $1,634.48 have been ordered paid, which cannot be signed, the appropriation for that purpose being nearly exhausted, was presented, received and ordered filed.

	Appropriation.	Expended.	Am't Unexpended.
For support of out-door poor	$19,000 00	$18,942 54	$57 46
For printing, stationery and supplies	6,000 00	1,964 08	4,035 92
For rent of armories and supplies	4,750 00	2,495 52	2,254 48
For salaries of city clerk, marshal and overseer of the poor	5,000 00	2,083 34	2,916 66

For repairs of public buildings.....	250 00	20 87	229 13
For improvement, repairs and care of public grounds and parks and bath..... ..	3,000 00	884 03	2,115 97
For celebration of 4th of July.....	2,000 00		

The City Clerk laid before the Board a writ of certiorari, issued by the Supreme Court of this State at the suit of Mahlen B. Crampton and others, to review the assessment for construction of the Ninth ward sewer; also, an order from said Court allowing one return to answer for the several writs issued in the same matter.

The papers were referred to the corporation attorney.

AUDITING OF CLAIMS BY RESOLUTION.

The following resolutions were reported by committees in payment of claims heretofore referred:

By Committee on Alms:

Resolved, That the sum of $26.04 be paid to H. H. Brinkerhoff, for groceries for out door poor from Feb. 1 to May 1, 1875.

Resolved, That the sum of $26.71 be paid to James Coyle, for horse shoeing for overseer of the poor from April 27, 1874 to April 21, 1875.

Resolved, That the sum of $31.15 be paid to R. G. Dudley, for board, &c., of horse of overseer of the poor for April, 1875.

Resolved, That the sum of $20 be paid to R. G. Dudley for board of horse of overseer of the poor from April 28 to May 18, 1875.

Resolved, That the sum of $14.45 be paid to R G. Dudley for incidental expenses as overseer of the poor,

Resolved, That the sum of $35.70 be paid to Michael Egan, for meat for out door poor to April 27, 1875.

Resolved, That the sum of $96.60 be paid to Garret Haley for meat for out door poor from April 1st to 26th, 1875.

Resolved, That the sum of $130 be paid to Andrew J. Hall for coffins and wagon hire for burial of out door poor from March 17th to April 26, 1875.

Resolved, That the sum of $10 be paid to William Hughes for burial of out door poor.

Resolved, That the sum of $75 be paid to J. Hunt for meat for out-door poor.

Resolved, That the sum of $37.31 be paid to William Kelly for repairs to wagon of Overseer of the Poor from April 18 to May 12, 1875.

Resolved, That the sum of $10 be paid to Michael G. Lennon for coffin and burial of out door poor.

Resolved, That the sum of $6.50 be paid to H. W. Leonard for services as Justice of the Peace in abandonment case.

Resolved, That the sum of $20 be paid to H. V. Manneville for groceries for out door poor.

Resolved, That the sum of $27.70 be paid to Wm. C. Matthews, for services as justice of the peace, on abandonment case, on complaint of overseer of the poor.

Resolved, That the sum of $79 be paid to Henry W. Miller, for groceries for out-door poor from February 8, to April 12, 1875.

Resolved, That the sum of $399 74 be paid to L. Merkle for bread for out-door poor to April 26, 1875.

Resolved, That the sum of $296 75 be paid to John Ohle, for groceries for out-door poor from April 1. to 27, 1875.

Resolved That the sum of $68 be paid to John Ohle. for groceries, for out-door poor from May 1 to 18, 1875.

Resolved, That the sum of $33 60 be paid to Robert Quinn for meat for out-door poor.

Resolved, That the sum of $35 be paid to B. J. F. Roberts for shoes for out-door poor from April 1 to 27, 1875.

Resolved, That the sum of $159 be paid to Fred. Schober for meat for out-door poor from March 31 to April 27, 1875.

Resolved, That the sum of $10 be paid to Wm. H. Speer, for burial of child of Mrs. Cochran.

Resolved, That the sum of $104.10 be paid to W. and J. Symes for meat for out-door poor to May 11, 1875.

Resolved. That the sum of $48.50 be paid to John True for groceries for out-door poor from April 15, to May 15, 1875.

Resolved, That the sum of $4.80 be paid to C. Walter for meat for out-door poor.

Resolved. That the sum of $34.24 be paid to John J. Wittpenn for groceries for out-door to April 1, 1875.

By Committee on Finance:

Resolved, That a warrant be drawn on the City Treasurer in favor of A. W. Marinus for $27.53 for monies paid for car fare, &c., delivering notices for Board of Aldermen from Dec., 1874, to May, 1875.

By Committee on Laws and Ordinances:

Resolved, That a warrant be drawn on the City Treasurer in favor of Thomas W. Miles for $10 for giving information leading to arrest and conviction of Jacob Kortland for selling liquor without a license.

By Committee on Printing, Stationery and Supplies:

Resolved, That the sum of $5 be paid to John Anness for supplies for Overseer of the Poor.

Resolved, That the sum of $85.45 be paid to the Argus for printing and advertising.

Resolved, That the sum of $18 be paid to Bevan & Stephens for three maps of Jersey City.

Resolved, That a warrant be drawn on the city treasurer in favor of J. C. De La Vergne, for $250, for horse for overseer of the poor.

Resolved, That a warrant be drawn on the city treasurer in favor of J. C. De La Vergne, for $7.50, for blankets for horse of overseer of the poor.

Resolved, That a warrant be drawn on the city treasurer in favor of John W. Harrison, for $130, for stationery furnished from Nov. 27th, 1874, to April 24, 1875.

Resolved, That the sum of $62.50 be paid to M. S. Rosenkrans for coal for City Hall.

By Committee on Public Grounds and buildings:

Resolved, That the sum of $81.50 be paid to Farrier & Garretson for gas fitting at City Hall.

Resolved, That the sum of $54.35 be paid to Farrier & Garretson for plumbing at City Hall.

Resolved, That the sum of $23 be paid to Farrier & Garretson for rubber hose at City Pound.

Resolved, That the sum of $40 be paid to John Fitzpatrick for services as keeper of Washington Square for April, 1875.

Resolved, That the sum of $40 be paid to Thomas McCullough for services as keeper of Van Vorst Square for April 1875.

Resolved, That the sum of $40 be paid to Robert Rudick for services as keeper of Hamilton Square for April 1875.

Resolved, That the sum of $40 be paid to James Thompson for services as laborer at Hamilton Square for April 1875.

The resolutions were adopted.

MISCELLANEOUS BUSINESS.

The following entitled ordinance was presented by Alderman Van Cleef:

"An ordinance to authorize the North Hudson County Railway Company to lay a double track of iron rails in Grove street, from Newark avenue to the northerly limits of Jersey City, in the place of the single track and turnouts now in said part of said street."

On motion of Alderman Brown the ordinance was referred to the Committee on Laws and Ordinances.

Resolutions were presented, received and disposed of as follows:

By Alderman White and adopted.

Resolved, That the Committee on Public Grounds and Buildings be instructed to have the iron railings around Washington square and the seats therein painted at a cost not to exceed one hundred dollars.

By Alderman Brown and adopted:

Resolved, That warrants be drawn on the city treasurer in favor of the following named for payment of salaries, when due, for May, 1875:

John E. Scott, city clerk.. .....$250 00	
R. G. Dudley, overseer of the poor from May 1 to 18, 1875.....	47 03
John E. Hewitt, overseer of the poor from May 18 to 31, 1875.....	36 30
A. W. Marinus, marshal from May 1 to 18, 1875.	47 03
George Deegan, marshal from May 18 to 31, 1875.....	36 30

By Alderman White and adopted:

Resolved, That the pay of the keepers and laborers on public parks be increased to forty-eight dollars each per month, commencing May 1, 1875.

By Alderman White and adopted:

Resolved, That the Committee on Public Grounds and Buildings be authorized to cause the fountains in Van Vorst and Hamilton squares, and railings around the fountains to be painted, at a cost not to exceed the sum of two hundred dollars.

By Alderman White and adopted:

Resolved, That the Committee on Public Grounds and Buildings are hereby authorized to procure thirty settees for public parks at a cost not to exceed fifteen dollars each, delivered.

On motion of Alderman Brown the Board then adjourned.

JOHN E. SCOTT, City Clerk.

Regular meeting at the Aldermanic Chamber, City Hall, Tuesday, June 1st, 1875, at 7½ o'clock, P. M.

Present—President Harrison and Aldermen Brown, Helms, McLaughlin, Meyer, Powell, Soule, Van Cleef, White and Wood.

Absent—Alderman Kase and Smith.

The minutes of the regular meeting of May 25, 1875, were approved as printed in manual form, on motion of Alderman Brown.

PRESENTATION OF PETITIONS, ETC.

Petitions etc., were presented, received and disposed of as follows:

Invitation from the Americus Club, to attend their third annual picnic at Pohlman's Park, Ogden avenue, near the Elevator, on Wednesday, June 2, 1875. Accepted.

Petition of John T. Lary, for permission to construct a bay window in dwelling house on the corner of Bowers street and Webster avenue, to project 18 inches, &c.

Referred to Committee on Laws and Ordinances.

Petition of John S. White, for permission to erect a triangle sign in front of his store, No. 124 Newark avenue.

Referred to Committee on streets.

Petition of E. S. Martin for permission to place a sign over sidewalk in front of his premises, 103 York street.

Referred to Committee on Streets.

Petition of Christian Storzinger for permission to place a sign over sidewalk in front of his premises 383 1st street.

Referred to Committee on Streets.

Petition of Walter Wood for permission to erect a swing on the southeast side of Philip street, on the lower end of Communipaw avenue, and to charge a nominal sum for its use, &c.

Referred to Committee on Streets.

For transfer of Restaurant Licenses—

Hugh A. Turnbull. No. 350 to Thomas McGrath 144 9th street, 2d district.

John McKiernan, No. 421 to C. M. Havey, corner Summit and Laidlaw avenues, 4th district.

Granted on motion of Alderman McLaughlin.

For Trade Licenses—

John Gregory and James Y. Parker to vend meat, fish, fruit and vegetables.

Jacob F. Gardener to vend merchandise except meat, fish, &c.

Referred to Committee on Trade Licenses.

PRESENTATION OF CLAIMS.

Claims were presented, received, and disposed of as follows:

Of John A. Duncan, $123.75.

Referred to Committee on Alms.

Of Louis Boettcher, $69; R. B. Earle, $73 and $71, and N. B. Shafer, $190.84.

Referred to Committee on Baths and Armories.

Of John Boyd, $140 and $15; Farrier & Garretson, $57.80; John Fitzpatrick, $48; Thomas McCullough, $48; Robert Ruddick, $48; and James Thompson, $48.

Referred to Committee on Public Grounds and Buildings.

Of Hugh F. McDermott, $57.60; Peter Dalton, Jr., $11.90.

Referred to Committee on Printing, Stationery and Supplies.

OFFICERS' COMMUNICATIONS.

The city clerk presented a report of the service upon him of three writs of certiorari issued by the Supreme Court of New Jersey, to wit:

At suit of Kerin Colgan and H. Henry Baxter, assessment for improvement of portions of Varick, Mercer and Montgomery streets. Flemming, Van Cleef & Van Horn, attorneys.

At suit of James Wilkinson, assessment for lateral sewer in Bergen avenue and Brinkerhoff street. Wm. Brinkerhoff, attorney.

At suit of Samuel E. Brown and Caroline Owen, assessment for improvement of Dey street, from the railroad to Tonnele avenue. C. L. Corbin, attorney.

The report further stating that returns thereto have been made under the direction of the Corporation Counsel.

The report was received and ordered filed.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEE.

The Committee on Liquor Licenses reported the following resolution on applications heretofore presented:

Resolved, That the following Restaurant Licenses be transferred:

No. 109, James Gorman, 153 Warren street, 1st District, to Patrick Kelly.

No. 414, George Germann, corner Broad street and Ogden avenue, to Charles Muehlenbeck.

The report was received and the resolution adopted.

The Committee on Streets presented reports as follows on petitions referred to said committee May 18 and 25, 1875:

On petition of First & Co., for permission to hang a curtain in front of 64 Newark avenue, report adverse, because petitioners do not own premises, the report stating that awning is already erected without permission.

The report was received and adopted.

On petition of Maria Rooney for permission to erect an awning in front of premises 144 Steuben street favorable.

The report was received and adopted.

On communication from Board of Fire Commissioners, submitting a remonstrance of Frank C. Hollins and others, against the indiscriminate erection of frame shanties upon lots and streets between 15th street and Hoboken, recommending that the matter be referred to to the Corporation Counsel for his opinion.

The report was received and its recomendation adopted.

On petition of Joseph Warren, agent, for permission to erect an awning in front of 164 Newark avenue, report adverse, petition not being signed by the owner, as required by law. The report was received and adopted.

On petition of Charles Koelble, for a sign in front of 632 Communipaw avenue, favorable. The report was received and adopted.

A petition of Michaol Shannon, for permission to store paving stone on portions of Morgan, First and Sixth streets, for the space of ninety days. Referred with power to committee. Report sets forth that committee have granted permission, Mr. Shannon agreeing to remove the stone before the expiration of the ninety days. Report received and ordered filed.

On petition of C. Diercksen, for permission to remove old school house No. 8 from the west to the east side of Sherman avenue, favorable. The report was received and adopted.

On petition of Christian Brown, to erect a sign in front of 48 York street, adverse, the petitioner not owning the premises. The report was received and adopted.

On petition of M. A. Driscoll, to remove frame building from Palisade avenue near Congress street, to Congress street near New York avenue, favorable. The report was received and adopted, and on petition of Henry Schmidt, to remove a building, from Seaview to Atlantic avenue favorable. The report was received and adopted.

AUDITING OF CLAIMS BY RESOLUTION.

The following resolutions were reported by Committees in payment of claims heretofore referred:

By Committee on Baths and Armories:

Resolved, That the sum of $75 be paid to E. S. Ashley for rent of armory of "A" Co., 8th Regiment, N. G. S. N. J.

Resolved, That the sum of $100 be paid to the Bergen Library Association for rent of armory for "D" Co. to May 1st, 1875.

Resolved, That a warrant be drawn on the City Treasurer in favor of John Boyd for one hundred and seventy-one dollars and ninety-two cents, for work and material at armory "B" Co. on Palisade avenue.

Resolved, That the sum of $168.97 be paid to Farrior & Garretson for plumbing and gas fitting at armory.

Resolved, That the sum of $164.05 be paid to Farrier & Garretson for plumbing and gas fitting at Artillery room.

Resolved, That the sum of $250 be paid to G. P. Howell agent, for rent for six months to May 1st, 1875, of armory of "A" Co., 4th Regiment.

Resolved, That the sum of $124.58 be paid to Jersey City Gas Light Company for gas consumed in drill room from January 1st to April 1st, 1875.

Resolved, That a warrant be drawn on the City Treasurer in favor of Mary C. Pratt for one hundred dollars for rent of armory for Company "E" 9th Regiment, N. G. S. N. J., from November 1, 1874, to May 1, 1875.

Resolved, That a warrant be drawn on the City Treasurer in favor of Mary C. Pratt for one hundred dollars for rent of armory for Co. "B," 4th Regiment, N. G. S. N. J., from November 1, 1874, to May 1, 1875.

Resolved, That the sum of $190.83 be paid to N. B. Shafer for rent of armory for April, 1875.

Resolved, That the sum of $23 be paid to Thomas F. Sullivan for painting ceiling in room "C," Co. 4th Regiment, N. G., S. N. J.

By Committee on Printing, Stationery and Supplies:

Resolved, That the sum of $11.90 e paid to Peter Dalton, Jr., for repairing locks and keys at Mayor's office and city hall.

Resolved, That the sum of $245.35 be paid to Pangborn, Dunning & Dear for printing and advertising from February 26 to April 22, 1875.

By Committee on Public Grounds and Buildings:

Resolved, That a warrant be drawn on the City Treasurer in favor of O'Mara Bros., for $99.35 for supplies for public parks.

The resolutions were adopted.

MISCELLANEOUS BUSINESS.

On motion of Alderman Van Cleef the following entitled ordinance presented May 18, 1875, was taken from the table for consideration, viz:

"An ordinance amendatory to the ordinance passed June 6, 1871, entitled 'An ordinance providing for the appointment, prescribing the powers and duties and regulating the compensation of inspectors of scales, weights and measures.'"

The ordinance was passed by the following vote, the yeas and nays having been ordered and taken:

Yeas—President Harrison and Aldermen Brown, Helms, McLaughlin, Meyer, Powell, Soule, Van Cleef, White and Wood.

Nays—None.

The following resolution was offered by Alderman Powell and adopted:

Resolved, That the Pound Keeper from old Hudson City District, Edward Reilly, be authorized to expend (under the direction of the Committee on Public Grounds and Buildings) the sum of seventy-five dollars in fencing and repairing the pound used by him.

The following resolutions were offered by Alderman Wood and adopted:

Resolved, That the action had September 1st, 1874, in referring to a special committee with power the petition of the Emerald Guard for permission to use the bath house in Mercer street for the purpose of meeting and drill be rescinded.

Resolved, That the Committee on Baths and Armories are hereby authorized to have the public bath in Mercer street put in proper order and repair at a cost not exceeding one hundred dollars.

Resolved, That the Board of Public Works be requested to furnish a supply of water for said bath when the same is ready for use, and that inasmuch as said bath will be of great public benefit and promote cleanliness, the water supplied for its purposes ought not to be made a charge against the Board of Aldermen.

Resolved, That the said Committee on Baths and Armories be authorized to employ a keeper as contemplated in the ordinance passed July 17, 1873, at a salary not exceeding one hundred dollars per month, subject to the provisions of said ordinance, and to draw pay from the time the bath is ready for use, and that the said committee may expend for articles necessary the sum of fifty dollars.

On motion of Alderman Van Cleef the Board then adjourned.

JOHN E. SCOTT,
City Clerk.

Regular meeting at the Aldermanic Chamber, City Hall, Tuesday, June 8th, 1875, at 7½ o'clock P. M.

Present—President Harrison and Aldermen Brown, Kase, McLaughlin, Meyer, Soule, Van Cleef, White and Wood.

Alderman Powell was absent at the calling of the roll, but subsequently appeared and took his seat.

Absent—Aldermen Helms and Smith.

The minutes of the regular meeting of the 1st inst. were approved as printed in manual form on motion of Alderman Brown.

PRESENTATION OF PETITIONS, ETC.

Petitions, etc., were presented, received and disposed of as follows:

Petition of A. H. Laidlaw and Phillip Tabb, owners of property in the neighborhood of Merseles street and Newark avenue, for removal of stables, &c., now located near the middle of Merseles street at its junction with Newark avenue.

Referred to Committee on Streets.

Petition of Richard Bellis for permission to place sign over sidewalk in front of 320 Grove street.

Referred to Committee on Streets.

Petition of Chas. S. Furst, tenant, and Joseph Mayer, owner, for permission to place a curtain in front of premises No. 64 Newark avenue.

Granted on motion of Alderman Van Cleef.

Petition of Alfred Columbus for permission to place an awning in front of his premises, lot 21 Hoboken avenue, block 526.

Referred to Committee on Streets.

Petition of Charles F. Lang for permission to maintain the sign erected across sidewalk in front of his premises No. 17 Newark avenue, &c.

Referred to Committee on Streets.

Petition of Adolph Walter for permission to maintain the sign post erected in front of premises 56 Newark avenue.

Referred to Committee on Streets.

Petition of Overseer of the Poor, for purchase of wagon for his department.

The following resolution in relation thereto was offered by Alderman Brown, and adopted.

Resolved, That the Committee on printing, stationery and supplies, are hereby authorized to purchase a suitable wagon for the use of the Overseer of the Poor, and to expend for such purpose the sum of, not exceeding two hundred and seventy-five dollars,

Petition of John Lowery, for permission to erect an awning in front of his premises, corner 6th and Henderson streets.

Referred to Committee on streets.

Alderman Powell appeared and took his seat.

For restaurant licenses:

First District—C. T. Lange, 7 Newark avenue; John Hart, 153 Warren street

Second District—Owen Masterson, 26 Railroad avenue.

Third District—Martin Daly, 324 Third street.

Fourth District—Thomas Hopkins, 88 Central avenue; F. W. Knoblauch, cor. Summit avenue and Griffith street; James Mooney, Laidlaw avenue between Central and Oakland avenues; Eugene Cronin, Newark avenue near Porter street.

Fifth District—John M. Hein, Summit avenue near St. Paul's avenue; James Butler, Academy street near Grey street.

Sixth District—William Schessler, Bergen near Fulton avenue; Mrs. A. May, Communipaw near Jackson avenue.

Referred to Committee on Liquor Licenses.

For trade licenses:

Of Peter Ryan and Jacob Barkley to vend meat, fish, fruit and vegetables.

Referred to Committee on Trade Licenses.

Of A. Stivers and Patrick Flannigan to vend merchandise other than meat, fish, fruit, vegetables, kindling wood, cigars and tobacco.

Referred to Committee on Trade Licenses.

Of John Oakley to vend kindling wood.

Referred to Committee on Trade Licenses.

Petition of James A. Zabriskie for transfer of his license from merchandise to meat, fish, fruit and vegetables.

Granted on motion of Alderman Powell.

Petition of C. D. Smith for permission to erect an awning in front of his premises No. 45 Beacon avenue.

Referred to Committee on Streets.

Petition of Philip Dittmar for permission to erect a sign over sidewalk in front of his premises, corner Ogden avenue and Franklin street.

Granted on motion of Alderman Powell.

PRESENTATION OF CLAIMS.

Claims were presented, received and disposed of as follows:

Of Ellen Flanagan, $74. Referred to Committee on Alms.

Of The Argus, $16.15; McAvoy Bros, $26.85 and $8.25; Tebbenhoff & Bro, $28.65.

Referred to Committee on Printing, Stationery and Supplies.

Of Wm. B. McDonald & Son, $239.02; Michael McDonald, $17.75, and Edward Reilly, $75

Referred to Committee on Public Grounds and Buildings.

OFFICERS' COMMUNICATIONS.

A communication from his Honor the Mayor nominating and appointing John Craven as a commissioner from Jersey City under the act to provide for the continuation of the Ravine road sewer in the city of Jersey City and the city of Hoboken, approved April 9, 1875, was presented.

Alderman Soule moved that the communication be laid upon the table.

Alderman McLaughlin moved as an amendment that the nomination and appointment be confirmed.

The amendment was rejected by the following vote, the yeas and nays having been ordered and taken on the call of the President:

Yeas—Aldermen Brown, McLaughlin, Powell, White and Wood.

Nays—President Harrison and Aldermen Kase, Meyer, Soule and Van Cleef.

The motion was then rejected by the following vote, the yeas and nays having been ordered and taken on the call of the President:

Yeas—President Harrison and Aldermen Kase, Meyer, Soule and Van Cleef.

Nays—Aldermen Brown, McLaughlin, Powell, White and Wood.

Alderman McLaughlin then moved:

"That the nomination and appointment be confirmed."

The motion was rejected by the following vote, the yeas and nays having been ordered and taken on the call of the President:

Yeas—Aldermen Brown, McLaughlin, Powell, White and Wood.

Nays—President Harrison and Aldermen Kase, Meyer, Soule and Van Cleef.

The city clerk laid before the Board the following communication from his Honor the Mayor filed in the city clerk's office on the 5th inst., and the same was read, received and ordered to be entered at large on the journal of proceedings:

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT, CITY HALL,
JERSEY CITY, June 5, 1875.

To the Honorable Board of Aldermen:

Gentlemen:—I herewith return without my approval the several resolutions adopted by your honorable body, May 25, 1875, ordering paid the claims of the following named parties: Garret Haley, $96.60; J. Hunt, $75; Robert Quinn, $33.60; M. Egan, $65.70, all for meat for out-door poor. Henry W. Miller, $79; John Ohle, $296 75 and $68; H. H. Brinkerhoff, $26.04; H. V. Mandeville, $20; John True, $48.50, all for groceries. L. Munkle, $399.74 for bread; B. J. F. Roberts, $35 for shoes, for the reason that the claims do not state when or to whom the goods were furnished, and the bills for groceries do not specify the articles furnished, and I would recommend the recomittal of the claims to the committee for correction.

Respectfully,
HENRY TRAPHAGEN,
Mayor.

A communication from W. P. Douglass, corporation attorney, returning writ of certiorari and order in the case of the State (Crampton prosecutor) against the city, referred to said office May 25, 1875, and recommending that the city clerk make the return endorsed on the writ, was presented, received and the recommendation adopted.

A copy of a resolution adopted by the Board of Finance and Taxation June 3, and approved by the Mayor June 5, 1875, requesting the different Boards of the city government to file with the clerk of said Board on or before June 30, 1875, their estimates of expenditures for the fiscal year beginning Dec 1, 1875, was presented, received and on motion of Alderman Brown referred to the Committee on Finance, and the several standing committees were requested to transmit to said committee their annual estimates for said fiscal year.

The city clerk presented a report of the approval by the Mayor on the 8th inst. of the ordinance passed on the 1st inst, amendatory to the ordinance concerning inspectors of scales, weights and measures.

The report was received and ordered filed.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

The Committee on Laws and Ordinances to whom was referred on the 1st inst., the petition of John T. Lary for permission to contruct bow windows, &c., presented a report thereon submitting the following entitled ordinance, the report recommending that the ordinance be laid upon the table and printed on slips for the use of the Board, viz:

"An ordinance for the relief of John T. Lary in construction of bow windows in building at corner of Bowers street and Webster avenue."

The report was received and its recommendation adopted.

The Committee on Streets to whom was referred on the 1st inst., the petition of John S. White for permission to place a triangular sign in front of 124 Newark avenue, presented a report thereon adverse to granting the prayer of the petition for the reason the application is not signed by the actual owner as required by law.

The report was received and adopted

The Committee on Streets reported the following resolution:

Resolved, That as recommended by the Committee on Streets, June 1st, 1875, permission is hereby granted during the pleasure of the Board of Aldermen to Maria Rooney to erect an awning in front of her premises No. 144 Steuben street, and to Charles Kœbie to erect a sign across the sidewalk in front of his premises No. 632 Communipaw avenue; and permission is also given to M. A. Driscoll to remove a frame building from Palisade avenue near Congress street, to Congress street near New York avenue; and the C. Dierckson to move old School House o. 8. from the west to the east side of Sherman avenue.

The report was received and the resolution adopted.

The committee on streets to whom was referred on the 1st inst., the petition of Christian Storzinger, for permission to erect a sign across the sidewalk in front of 383 First street, presented a report thereon, adverse to granting the prayer of the petition, because it is not signed by the actual owner as required by the ordinance.

The report was received and adopted

The committee on streets to whom was referred on the 1st inst. the petition of E. S. Martin, for permission to erect a sign, &c. presented a favorable report thereon, recommending the adoption of the following resolution:

Resolved, That permission is hereby granted (during the pleasure of the Board of Aldermen) to E. S. Martin, to place and maintain a sign over and across the sidewalk, in front of his premises 103 York street.

The report was received and the resolution adopted.

AUDITING OF CLAIMS BY RESOLUTION.

The following resolutions were reported by committees in payment of claims heretofore referred.

By Committee on Alms:

Resolved, That the sum of $53,05 be paid to H. W. Leonard, for services as a Justice of the Peace, in bastardy case.

Resolved, That the sum of $52.75 be paid to John Scrnoll, for groceries for out-door poor, from December 5, 1874, to April 5, 1875.

By Committee on Baths and Armories.

Resolved, That the sum of $190,84 be paid to N. B. Shafer, for rent of Armory for May, 1875.

By Committee on Printing Stationery and Supplies.

Resolved, That the sum of $57,60 be paid to Hugh F. McDermott, for advertising from February 27, to March 27, 1875.

By Committee on Public Grounds and Buildings:

Resolved, That the sum of $140 be paid to John Boyd, for painting, &c. at City Hall.

Resolved, That the sum of $15 be paid to John Boyd for painting signs for public parks.

Resolved, That the sum of $57,80 be paid to Farrier and Garretson for gas fitting at Police headquarters.

Resolved, That the sum of $48 be paid to John Fitzpatrick, for services as keeper of Washington Square, for May, 1875.

Resolved, That the sum of $48 be paid to Thomas McCullough, for services as keeper of Van Vorst Square, for May, 1875.

Resolved, That the sum of $48 be paid to Robert Ruddick, for services as keeper of Hamilton Square, for May, 1875.

Resolved, That the sum of $48 be paid to James Thompson, for services as laborer at Hamilton Square, for May, 1875.

The resolutions were adopted.

MISCELLANEOUS BUSINESS.

Resolutions were presented, received, and disposed of as follows:

By Alderman Wood. and adopted:

Resolved, That so much of the resolution adopted on the 1st inst. providing that the keeper of public bath shall draw pay from the time the bath is ready for use, be rescinded, and that the employment of said keeper be referred to the Committee on Baths and Armories, with power:

Alderman McLoughlin moved, That the Board take a recess for five minutes.

The motion was rejected by the following vote, the ayes and nays having been ordered and taken, on the call of the President:

Yeas—Aldermen Brown, McLaughlin, Powell and Wood.

Nays—President Harrison and Alderman Kase, Meyer, Soule, Van Cleef and White.

By Alderman White and adopted:

Resolved, That the Committee on Public Grounds and Buildings be authorized to procure a suitable tool house for both Hamilton and Washington Parks, at a cost not to exceed fifty dollars each complete, the same to be made ornamental as well as useful.

By Alderman White, and adopted:

Resolved, That the Committee on Public Grounds and Buildings be authorized to have the fence around Van Vorst Square painted at a cost not to exceed two hundred and fifty dollars ($250).

By Alderman White and adopted:

Resolved, That the Committee on Public Grounds and Buildings are hereby authorized to cause the drains leading from fountain basins in Hamilton and Van Vorst Parks to be repaired; also to procure new jets for fountains and to cause the settees in the several parks to be repaired and where necessary painted, and to expend for such purpose the sum of not exceeding one hundred and fifty dollars ($150).

By Alderman White and adopted:

Resolved, That the Street Commissioner be requested to notify the Pavonia Horse Railroad Company to repair the pavement between the rails of said company at the intersection of Jersey avenue and Seventh street.

Alderman White moved that the Board do now proceed to the appointment of a City Weigher.

The motion was rejected by the following vote, the yeas and nays having been ordered and taken on the call of the President.

Yeas—Aldermen Brown, McLaughlin, Powell, White and Wood.

Nays—President Harrison and Aldermen Kase, Meyer, Soule and Van Cleef.

On motion of Alderman Van Cleef the Board then adjourned.

JOHN E. SCOTT,
City Clerk.

Regular meeting at the Aldermanic Chamber, City Hall, Tuesday, June 15th, 1875, at 7½ o'clock, P. M.

Present—President Harrison and Aldermen Brown, Helms, Kase, Meyer, Powell, Smith, Soule, Van Cleef, White and Wood.

Alderman McLaughlin was absent at the calling of the roll but subsequently appeared and took his seat.

The minutes of the regular meeting of the 8th inst., were read and approved.

PRESENTATION OF PETITIONS, ETC.

Petitions etc., were presented, received and disposed of as follows:

Petition of W. E. Fleming for permission to excavate the sidewalk in front of 150 Newark avenue, for the purpose of building a vault.

Granted on motion of Alderman Van Cleef.

Petition of John and Margaret B. Neville for permission to erect a sign over sidewalk in front of their premises No. 20 Pine street.

Referred to Committee on Streets.

Petition of Wood & Vredenbergh for permission to erect a sign over sidewalk in front of their premises on Bonner avenue.fifty feet from Beacon avenue.

Referred to Committee on Streets.

Petition of G. W. Eagenrauch, for permission to erect an awning and sign in front of his premises, southeast corner of Cambridge avenue and Bowers street.

Granted on motion of Alderman Powell.

Petition of F. W. Clemens, Sr., for permission to place a sign over sidewalk in front of premises corner Hutton street and Hancock avenue.

Granted on motion of Alderman Helms.

Petition of James L. Pratt for permission to place a transparency in front of 22½ Newark avenue.

Granted on motion of Alderman Smith.

Petition of John S. White and John McLaughlin, for permission to place triangular sign in front of 124 Newark avenue.

Referred to Committee on Streets.

Communication from John Deubel, complaining of the careless and dangerous manner in which Bernard Hughes is removing rock from Washburn street and submitting copy of permit granted said Hughes by the Street Commissioner.

Referred to Committee on Streets.

Alderman McLaughlin appeared and took his seat.

Petition of T. and M. C. Hardy for remission of a fine of $10 for alleged violation of city ordinance for driving over sidewalk.

Alderman White moved that the prayer of the petition be granted.

Alderman Van Cleef moved as an amendment that the petition be referred to the Committee on Laws and Ordinances.

The amendment was accepted and the motion adopted.

Petition of Edward Caufield, owner of premises No. 397 Grand street, for permission to hang a small sign over sidewalk in front of said premises. Referred to Committee on Streets.

Petition of D. and A. Post for permission to place a sign over sidewalk in front of premises 398 Henderson street. Referred to Committee on Streets.

For restaurant licenses:

First District—George Luhrman, 704 Essex street; T. F. Flood, 152 Grand street; J. H. Offerman, 34 Essex street.

Second District—J. L. D. Lyon, 221 Provost street; Patrick Hughes, 438 Henderson street; William Brannan, 14 Railroad avenue; Charles Murphy, Westervelt street, near Grand street.

Third District—Charles Baechler, 307 Grove street; C. Casselmann, 346 Second street; Ferdinand Stelling, 307 Coles street; William Siefert, 146 Newark avenue.

Fourth District—J. P. Reinhardt, 42 Sherman avenue.

Fifth District—William Cook, corner Academy and Grey street.

Sixth District—Adam Bender, Bergen Point Plank Road, near Bramhall avenue.

Referred to Committee on Liquor Licenses.

Petition of Thomas McNamara for transfer of restaurant license No. 690 to 105 Steuben street, Second District.

Referred to Committee on Liquor Licenses.

Petitions of Charles Pool, Henry Deiderstadt and William Cary for licenses to vend meat, fish, fruit and vegetables.

Referred to Committee on Trade Licenses.

Petition of Samuel Kane for a license to vend marchandise.

Referred to the Committee on Trade Licenses.

PRESENTATION OF CLAIMS.

Claims were presented, received and disposed of as follows:

Of L. Munkle, $240.57, and Totten Bros., $101.70.

Referred to Committee on Alms.

Of Hudson County German Publishing Association $140.40; McAvoy Bros., $42 35 and $148; M. Seely, $20.50 and Jacob Wagner, $275.

Referred to Committee on Printing, Stationery and Supplies.

Of John Boyd, $100; Wm. C. Clary & Co., $14.40; Benjamin H. Manning, $50 and $35; E. McGonall, $67 and $100; P. H. Nugent, $450 and $30.50; and O'Mara Bros., $195.80.

Referred to Committee on Public Grounds and Buildings.

OFFICER'S COMMUNICATIONS.

A communication was presented from the Board of Public Works, submitting for concurrence a copy of the following preamble and resolution adopted by said Board on the 15th inst:

Whereas, This Board, at a regular meeting held May 25, 1875, passed a resolution asking the Board of Finance and Taxation for their concurrence in authorizing this Board to advertise for proposals for furnishing and delivering at the Jersey City water works at Belleville, N. J., 400 tons of bituminous and 4,600 tons of anthracite coal, for use during the ensuing year, and up to this time the said Board of Finance and Taxation have failed to act upon the same; and

Whereas, The Engineer at said water works at Belleville reports to this Board that the supply of coal now on hand is insufficient to meet the needs of the department after July 20, 1875; and it is a necessity that some action should be taken to prevent the supply of coal at said water works becoming exhausted, thereby causing a stoppage of the water works; and

Whereas, The exigency now existing is such that a contract cannot be entered into for obtaining the necessary supply of coal in time to insure its delivery before said 20th day of July, if the regular course of advertising for proposals, as provided for in section 159 of the city charter, is followed, but is of a character contemplated by the State Legislature in passing upon section 53, page 125, of the city charter, authorizing the Board charged with the same to furnish material forthwith, and thereby avoid the ordinary delay of advertising for proposals; therefore

Resolved, That by and with the concurrence of the Board of Finance and Taxation the Committee on Pumping and Reservoirs of this Board be and are hereby authorized to purchase, at the best price at which they can procure the same, and without advertising for proposals, one cargo of anthracite coal, to be delivered at the Jersey City water works at Belleville, at a cost not to exceed fifteen hundred dollars ($1,500), and that a copy of this resolution be sent to the Board of Aldermen for their concurrence therein, as provided in section 53, on page 125, of the Jersey City charter and supplements.

Alderman Brown moved that the communication be received and placed on file.

Alderman Van Cleef moved as an amendment that the resolution be concurred in by the Board of Aldermen.

The amendment was adopted by the following vote, the yeas and nays having been ordered and taken, on the call of the President:

Yeas—President Harrison and Aldermen Helms, Kase, Meyer, Smith, Soule, Van Cleef and White.

Nays—Aldermen Brown, McLaughlin, Powell and Wood.

The motion as amended was then adopted by the following vote, the yeas and nays having been ordered and taken on the call of the President:

Yeas—Aldermen Brown, McLaughlin, Powell, and Wood.

Nays—President Harrison and Aldermen Helms, Kase, Meyer, Smith, Soule, Van Cleef and White.

A communication from W. P. Douglass, Corporation Attorney, asking a conference with the Committee on Alms to devise some means of correcting the many abuses that have crept into the administration of the law relative to abandonment of wife or family, and for the support of illegitimate children, was presented, received and referred to the Committee on Alms.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

The Committee on Streets reported the following resolutions on petitions referred to said Committee on the 8th inst.

Resolved, That permission be granted to C. D. Smith to erect an awning in front of his premises No. 45 Beacon avenue.

Resolved, That permision is hereby granted to Alfred Columbus to keep and maintain an awning in front of his premises No. 21 Hoboken avenue, block 526.

Resolved, That permission be granted during the pleasure of the Board of Aldermen to Richard Bellis to place a sign over sidewalk in front of his premises No. 436 Grove street.

The reports were received and the resolutions severally adopted.

The Committee on Streets to whom was referred on the 8th inst. the petition of A. H. Laidlaw and Philip Tabb, for removal of obstruction from Merseles street, &c., presented a report thereon, recommending the adoption of the following resolution:

Resolved, That the Street Commissioner be requested to proceed in the manner required by law and under the direction of the Corporation Attorney, to cause the immediate removal of stables or outbuildings or any other obstruction now located near the middle of Merseles street, at about the junction of Newark avenue and Merseles street.

The report was received and the resolution adopted.

AUDITING OF CLAIMS BY RESOLUTION.

The following resolutions were reported by committees in payment of claims presented at this meeting:

By Committee on Alms:

Resolved, That the sum of $240.57 be paid to L. Munkle for bread for out-door poor.

Resolved, That the sum of $101.70 be paid to Totten Bros. for meat for out-door poor during April and May, 1875.

By Committee on Public Grounds and Buildings:

Resolved, That the sum of $100 be paid to John Boyd for painting fountain and fence in Hamilton Park.

Resolved, That the sum of $50 be paid to Benjamin H. Manning for building tool house in Washington Park.

Resolved, That the sum of $35 be paid to Benjamin H. Manning for repairing seats in Parks.

The resolutions were adopted.

The following resolutions were reported by Committee on Payment of Claims heretofore referred by Committee on Alms:

Resolved, That the sum of $74 be paid to Ellen Flanagan for groceries for out-door poor from November 1, 1874, to May 3, 1875.

By Committee on Printing, Stationery and Supplies:

Resolved, That the sum of $156.15 be paid to The Argus for printing, &c.

Resolved, That the sum of $26.85 be paid to McAvoy Brothers for stationery supplied to City Marshal.

Resolved, That the sum of $8.25 be paid to McAvoy Brothers for stationery for City Clerk's office.

Resolved, That the sum of $26.85 be paid to Tebbenhoff & Bro., for supplies to City Marshal for use in City Hall, (mops, dusters, pails, &c).

By Committee on Public Grounds and Buildigs:

Resolved, That the sum of $17.75 be paid to Michael McDonald for 50 signs and carpenter wo k.

Resolved, That the sum of $75 be paid to Edward Reilly for putting up pound in old Hudson City District.

The resolutions were adopted:

MISCELLANEOUS BUSINESS.

On motion of Alderman Wood the following entitled ordinance presented on the 8th inst., was taken from the table for consideration, viz:

An ordinance for the relief of John T. Lary in the construction of bow windows in building at the corner of Bowers street and Webster avenue.

On motion of Alderman Wood the ordinance was amended so as to read as follows:

Section 1. That permission is hereby granted to John T. Lary to construct and maintain two bow windows upon the parlor and second stories of building at the corner of Bowers street and Webster avenue, which shall project over the building line of said avenue not more than two feet six inches, and shall be not more than six feet wide, any ordinance to the contrary notwithstanding.

The ordinance as amended was passed by the following vote, the yeas and nays having been ordered and taken:

Yeas—All the members of the Board, twelve in number.

Resolutions were presented, received and disposed of as follows:

By Alderman White:

Resolved, That the Committee on Public Grounds and Buildings are hereby authorized to procure thirty (30) settees for public parks at a cost not to exceed fifteen dollars ($15) each delivered.

The resolution was adopted by the following vote, the yeas and nays having been ordered and taken on the call of the President:

Yeas—President Harrison and Aldermen Brown, McLaughlin, Powell, Smith, White and Wood.

Nays—Aldermen Helms, Kase, Meyer, Soule and Van Cleef.

By Alderman Soule and adopted:

Resolved, That all bills presented to this Board for payment must specify dates, prices and quantity and to whom delivered.

By Alderman White and adopted:

Resolved, That the Committee on Public Grounds and Buildings are hereby authorized, if deemed expedient, to set apart a portion of each public park for purposes of croquet.

By Alderman White:

Resolved, That the Committee on Public Grounds and Buildings are hereby authorized to expend an additional sum of fifty dollars ($50) in painting railing and seats at Washington Square.

The resolution was adopted by the following vote, the yeas and nays having been ordered and taken on the call of the President:

Yeas—President Harrison and Aldermen Brown, McLaughlin, Powell, Smith, White and Wood.

Nays—Aldermen Helms, Kase, Meyer, Soule and Van Cleef.

By Alderman White:

Resolved, That the Board of Finance and Taxation be requested to insert in the tax levy for the year commencing December 1, 1875, an amount sufficient to pay the cost of constructing a good and substantial fence around Hamilton Park, the present wooden fence having been constructed about fifteen years since, and in constant need of repair.

Alderman Van Cleef moved:

"That the resolution be laid upon the table."

The motion was rejected by the following vote, the yeas and nays having been ordered and taken, on the call of the President:

Yeas—President Harrison and Aldermen Brown, Kase, Meyer, Van Cleef and Wood.

Nays—Aldermen Helms, McLaughlin, Powell, Smith, Soule and White.

Alderman Van Cleef moved as an amendment:

"That the fence be entirely removed."

The amendment was rejected by the follow-

ing vote, the yeas and nays having been ordered and taken, on the call of the President:

Yeas—President Harrison and Aldermen Brown, Kase, Meyer and Van Cleef.

Nays—Aldermen Helms, McLaughlin, Powell, Smith, Soule, White and Wood.

The resolution was then rejected by the following vote, the yeas and nays having been ordered and taken, on the call of the President:

Yeas—Aldermen McLaughlin, Powell, Smith and White.

Nays—President Harrison and Aldermen Brown, Helms, Kase, Meyer, Soule, Van Cleef and Wood.

The following entitled ordinance was presented by Alderman Wood, viz.:

"An ordinance concerning the manner of laying rails by horse railroad companies in streets and avenues of Jersey City."

On motion of Alderman McLaughlin, the ordinance was ordered to be printed on slips and referred to the Committee on Laws and Ordinances.

Alderman Kase moved: That the Board do now adjourn

The motion was rejected by the following vote, the yeas and nays having been ordered and taken on the call of the President:

Yeas—President Harrison and Aldermen Brown, Helms, Kase, Meyer and Soule.

Nays—Aldermen McLaughlin, Powell, Smith, Van Cleef, White and Wood.

Alderman McLaughlin moved: That the Board now proceed to the consideration of the communication presented on the 8th inst. from the Mayor, nominating John Craven as a Commissioner, under the act providing for the extension of Ravine road sewer.

Pending the consideration of the question on motion of Alderman Wood the Board adjourned.

JOHN E. SCOTT,
City Clerk.

Regular meeting at the Aldermanic Chamber, City Hall, Tuesday, June 22, 1875, at 7½ o'clock, P. M.

Present—President Harrison, and Aldermen Brown, Helms, Kase, McLaughlin, Powell, Soule, Van Cleef, White and Wood.

Absent—Aldermen Meyer and Smith.

The minutes of the regular meeting of the 15th inst., were approved as printed in manual form, on motion of Alderman McLaughlin.

PRESENTATION OF PETITIONS, ETC.

Petitions, etc., were presented, received and disposed of as follows;

Invitation from the Caledonian Club to attend the sixth annual games at Schutzen Park, Monday, July 5, 1875. Accepted.

Petition of Tichnor & Co., for permission to erect sign across sidewalk in front of premises 368 4th street.

Granted on motion of Alderman White.

Petition of George W. Barker for Pennsylvania Railroad Co., for permission to place a sign over sidewalk in front of premises owned by said Company and occupied by "The Argus" newspaper, 30 and 32 Montgomery street.

Granted on motion of Alderman McLaughlin.

Petition of John English, owner, for permission to erect sign over sidewalk in front of premises No. 257 1st street.

Referred to Committee on Streets.

Petition of August Lanke for permission to erect a sign over sidewalk in front of his premises No. 17 Manhattan avenue, between Central and Sherman avenues.

Granted on motion of Alderman Powell.

Petition of W.L. & J. W. Johnson for permission to erect a wooden awning in front of block of buildings on Communipaw avenue, opposite the "Bell Tower"

Referred to Committee on Streets.

Petition of Andrew Musch, owner, and Andrew Sponsel, tenant, for permission to erect an awning in front of premises southeast corner of Bergen and Fulton avenues.

Granted on motion of Alderman Van Cleef.

Petition of George H. Carrick, for permission to place and maintain a curtain on the east side of awning in front of store owned by him, 19 Newark avenue.

Granted on motion of Alderman Van Cleef.

Petition of Thomas J. Cassidy, tenant, and George Tice, owner, for permission to place a barber's pole in front of premises on north side of Hoboken avenue, about 30 feet east of Summit avenue 5th district.

Granted on motion of Alderman Kase.

For Restaurant Licenses:

First District—F. N. Kellers, 32 Sussex street; John Wehrenberg, 33 Morris street; F. N. Kellers, 84 Greene street.

Second District—J. Luhrman, cor. Bishop and State streets; Michael Desmond, 429 Henderson street; Michael Rachford, 556 Henderson street; Mrs. M. Casserly, 214 13th street; Frederick Maass, cor. State and Grand streets.

Fourth District—Mary Dammann, 145 New York avenue; Otto Cumann, Duffield, near St. Pauls avenue; John G. Braubach, cor. Passaic avenue and South street; John Fahy, Newark, near Tonnele avenue.

Fifth District—Ruempler & Middendorff, 600 Newark avenue; Thomas C. Scott, 687 Newark avenue.

Sixth District—John Connor, Bergen Point Plank Road, bet. Bramhall ave. and Sherman street; Robert Ferguson, Bergen Point Plank Road, bet. Bramhall ave. N. & N. Y. R. R. Andrew Spousel, cor. Fulton and Bergen avenues.

Referred to Committee on Liquor Licenses.

For trade licenses:

Of Patrick Mullins, John J. Smith, J. W. Vaughon and Owen Masterson, to vend meat, fish, fruit and vegetables; of Gustav Hubner as a public porter; of Casper Dietz, junk shop, Meadow street, near St. Paul's avenue, Fourth district; of Henry Richter, junk shop, Palisade, near Beacon avenue, Fourth district.

Referred to Committee on Trade Licenses.

PRESENTATION OF CLAIMS.

Claims were presented, received, and disposed of as follows:

Of Buerk & Marquar, $48; the Jersey City and Harsimus Cemetery Company, $242.50 and $220.50; L. Munkel, $399.74; R. R. Rankin, $10, and Paul Schober, $72.90.

Referred to Committee on Alms.

Of Thomas Kenneally, $200.47; P. E. Martin, $91.40; Lewis Strober, $70.

Referred to the Committee on Baths and Armories.

Of James Ray, $15.

Referred to Committee on Printing, Stationery and Supplies.

Of A. Ingwersen, $$ 50; Thomas Kenneally, $50; Benj. H. Manning, $20; E. McGonall, $20; Walter Solomon, $10.

Referred to Committee on Public Grounds and Buildings.

OFFICERS' COMMUNICATIONS.

The following communication from the Corporation Counsel was presented, received, and on motion of Alderman Brown, ordered filed.

CORPORATION COUNSEL'S OFFICE,
JERSEY CITY, N. J., June 21, 1875.

To the Honorable Board of Aldermen:

Gentlemen—The communication of Mr. Frank C Hollins to the Board of Fire Commissioners respecting the erection of frame buildings, sent by the latter Board to your Board, as to such parts of the communication relating to buildings on the public streets, and by recommendation of Committee of your Board referred to Counsel, I have considered, and respectfully advise that so far as any of these buildings in question have been erected wholly or in part upon any public street, the same are unlawful encroachments, and are in violation of the rights of the general public to the appropriate use of the streets.

By section 24 of the city charter, subdivision 12, on page 21, jurisdiction is given to your Board to "regulate and prevent the use of streets for any other purposes than public travel, and to provide for the removal of any encroachment on streets or public places."

I recommend a reference to the Bureau of Engineering and Surveying, with a request that said Bureau make such necessary and careful surveys of the section or portion of the city where these buildings complained of are erected, as may be found requisite to determine with certainty and accuracy if any of the buildings complained of encroach on the public streets, or any of them, and the exact extent of such encroachment in each instance: and that said Bureau may report thereon to your Board, with maps or diagrams, and such other data as will show the encroachments with certainty.

On the reception of such report your Board will have the information necessary to warrant the Board in causing every such building ascertained to be an encroachment to be removed.

Respectfully submitted,

WM. A. LEWIS,
Corporation Counsel.

The city clerk presented a report of the approval by the Mayor on the 18th inst. of the ordinance passed on the 15th inst., providing for the relief of John T. Lary in construction of bow window in building corner of Bowers street and Webster avenue.

The report was received and ordered filed.

(Alderman Van Cleef obtained leave and retired).

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

The Committee on Finance reported the following resolution:

Resolved, That the following estimate of amounts required to defray the current expenses of the Board of Aldermen for the fiscal year beginning December 1, 1875, be transmitted to the Board of Finance and Taxation for insertion in the tax levy for said year:

Purpose.	Amount.
For support of out-door poor	$25,000
Maintaining and repairing public bath	1,500
For removing and reconstructing public bath	3,000
For rent, furniture, gas, supplies and repairs of armories	5,000
For salaries of city clerk, marshal and overseer of the poor	5,000
For improvement, repair and care of	

public grounds and parks, including the painting of fences, fountains and settees, the purchase of tools for keepers and payment of salaries	4,000
For Repair of public buildings	2,000
For Printing, stationery and supplies	7,000
For Numbering of houses in Jersey City	1,000
For Celebration Fourth of July and Decoration of Soldiers Graves	3,200
Total	$56,700

The report was received and the resolution adopted.

The Committee on Laws and Ordinances to whom was referred on the 15th inst., the ordinance presented at said date entitled "An ordinance concerning the manner of laying rails by Horse Railroad Companies in streets and avennes of Jersey City "presented a report thereon recommending its passage.

The report was received and the ordinance laid upon the table,

The Committee on Liquor Licenses reported the following resolution:

Resolved, That Restaurant License No. 690 of Thomas McNamara, be transferred to No. 105 Steuben street, 2d District.

The report was received and the resolution adopted.

The Committee on Streets presented favorable reports recommending the adoption of the following resolutions, on petitions heretofore referred to said committee:

Resolved. That permission is hereby granted to John S. White and John McLaughlin to place a triangular sign on the front of premises 124 Newark avenue.

Resolved. That permission be granted to John and Margaret B. Neville, to place a sign over sidewalk in front of premises owned by them, No. 20 Pine street.

Resolved, That permission is hereby granted to Adolph Walter to keep and maintain the sign post at present erected in front of premises No. 56 Newark avenue.

Resolved, That permission is hereby granted to Wood and Vredenbergh to erect a sign over the sidewalk in front of their premises on Bonner avenue, fifty feet from Beacon avenue.

Resolved, That permission is hereby granted to Edward Caufield to place a sign over the sidewalk in front of premises owned by him, No. 397 Grand street.

Resolved, That permission is hereby granted to D. & A. Post, to place a sign over the sidewalk in front of premises owned by them, 308 Henderson street.

The reports were received and the resolutions severally adopted.

AUDITING OF CLAIMS BY RESOLUTION.

The following resolutions were reported by committees in payment of claims heretofore referred.

By Committee on Baths and Armories:

Resolved, That a warrant be drawn on the city Treasurer in favor of Wm. B, McDonald & Son for $294,67, for labor and materials fitting up room for "A" battery.

By Committee on Printing, Stationery and Supplies:

Resolved, That a warrant be drawn on the City Treasurer in favor of Hudson County German Publishing Association, for $140.40 for advertising ordinances, notices, &c , from Nov.; 13, 1874, to May 22, 1875.

Resolved, That the sum of $148 be paid to McAvoy Bros., for stationery for overseer of the poor.

Resolved, That the sum of $42.35 be paid to McAvoy Bros., for stationery for city clerk's office.

Resolved, That the sum of $20,50 be paid to M. Seely. for harness for horse of overseer of the poor.

Resolved, That the sum of $275 be paid to Jacob Wagner, for wagon for overseer of the poor.

By Committee on Public Grounds and Buildings:

Resolved, That the sum of of $14.40 be paid to Wm. C. Clary & Co, for use of mowing machine, &c., on parks.

Resolved, That the sum of $100 be paid to E. McGonall, for painting fountain, railing and benches in Van Vorst park.

Resolved, That the sum of $450 be paid to P. H. Nugent, for thirty settees for Hamilton park.

Resolved, That the sum of $30.20 be paid to P. H. Nugent, for supplies for public parks.

The following resolutions were reported by committees in payment of claims presented at this meeting:

By Committee on Baths and Armories:

Resolved, That the sum of $200.47 be paid to Thomas Kennelly for work and materials furnished on public bath.

Resolved That the sum of $91.40 be paid to P. E. Martin for plumbing work and materials furnished at public bath.

Resolved, That the sum of $70 be paid to Lewis Strober for caulking at bath house and furnishing materials.

By Committee on Printing, Stationery and Supplies:

Resolved, That the sum of $15 be paid to Jas. Ray for removing stoves from City Hall.

By Committee on Public Grounds and Buildings:

Resolved, That the sum of $150 be paid to A. Ingwersen for painting at Washington square.

Resolved, That the sum of $50 be paid to Thomas Kennelly for building tool house at Hamilton Park.

Resolved, That the sum of $20 be paid to Benjamin H. Manning for painting settees in parks (where repaired with new wood).

Resolved, That the sum of $250 be paid to E. McGonall for painting fence at Van Vorst square.

Resolved, That the sum of $10 be paid to Walter Solomon for 40 gold fish furnished at Hamilton and Van Vorst Parks.

The resolutions were adopted.

MISCELLANEOUS BUSINESS.

The following resolution was offered by Alderman Wood and adopted:

Resolved, That permission be granted to the "New Jersey Sportsman's Club" to hold their monthly shooting at the "Westside Driving Park" at foot of Duncan avenue, Hackensack meadows.

The following entitled ordinance was presented by Alderman Wood, and the same was received, laid upon the table and ordered to be printed on slips for the use of the Board, viz:

"An ordinance to amend an ordinance concerning Hack Drivers, Omnibus Drivers and Porters in Jersey City." approved June 9 1871.

Resolutions were presented, received, and disposed of follows:

By Alderman Wood and adopted:

Resolved, That the Committee on Baths and Armories are hereby authorized to expend the sum of two hundred and seventy-five dollars ($275) in repairing and fitting the public bath in addition to monies heretofore appropriated for said purpose.

By Alderman White and adopted:

Resolved, That until the further order of this Board, the Committee on Public Grounds and Buildings are hereby authorized if deemed expedient to employ a laborer for Van Vorst square at a compensation not to exceed forty-eight dollars per month.

By Alderman McLaughlin and adopted:

Whereas, by resolution adopted by this Board April 27, 1875, the North Hudson County Railway Company were requested within thirty (30) days from date of approval of said resolution to shorten and remove certain turnouts in Grove street, between Newark avenue and the northerly boundary line of Jersey City, and have failed to comply with said request; therefore,

Resolved. That the Street Commissioner is hereby requested to cause the removal of all turnouts now located in Grove street which may exceed one hundred feet in length, and to cause the iron so taken up to be removed to a place of safety, subject to the further order of this Board.

By Alderman Brown and adopted:

Resolved, That the Committee on Printing, Stationery and Supplies are hereby authorized to procure such weights and measures as may

be necessary for the use of the Inspectors, and to expend for such purpose the sum of not exceeding one hundred dollars.

By Alderman White:

Resolved, That inasmuch as the fence at present erected around Hamilton Square is in constant need of repair, and costs annually for such purpose from three to five hundred dollars, and is very unsatisfactory to many of the property owners and residents in its vicinity, this Board of Aldermen respectfully requests the Board of Finance and Taxation to make an appropriation sufficient to either build a new fence, of good and substantial material, or to erect iron posts, with chains connecting the same, or to leave the square open, with protecting curb, similar to the style now prevalent in New York city in caring for similar places of recreation.

On motion of Alderman Soule the consideration of the resolution was postponed for one week.

Alderman McLaughlin moved that the communication presented on the 8th inst. from the Mayor, nominating John Craven a Commissioner under the act approved April 9, 1875, providing for the construction of the Ravine Road sewer, be read.

The motion was adopted by the following vote, the yeas and nays having been ordered and taken on the call of the President:

Yeas—All the members present, nine (9) in number.

The communication was then read.

Alderman McLaughlin moved,

That the nomination and appointment be confirmed.

The motion was rejected by the following vote, the yeas and nays having been ordered and taken on the call of the President:

Yeas—Alderman McLaughlin, White and Wood.

Nays—President Harrison and Aldermen Brown, Helms, Kase, Powell and Soule.

On motion of Alderman McLaughlin the Board then adjourned.

JOHN E. SCOTT,
City Clerk.

Regular meeting at the Aldermanic Chamber, City Hall, Tuesday, June 29, 1875, at 7½ o'clock, P. M.

Present—All the members of the Board.

The minutes of the regular meeting of the 22d inst., were approved as printed in manual form, on motion of Alderman Brown.

(Alderman McLaughlin retired.)

PRESENTATION OF PETITIONS, ETC.

Petitions, etc., were presented, received and disposed of as follows:

Petition of Thomas H. Love for permission to erect an awning in front of his premises, 144 Newark avenue.

Granted on motion of Alderman Helms.

Petition of James P. Stryker & Co. for permission to erect an awning in front of their premises, 136 Washington street.

Granted on motion of Alderman Van Cleef.

Petition of William King for permission to erect an awning in front of his premises, 107 West Side avenue.

Granted on motion of Alderman Van Cleef.

Petition of Patrick Dowling for permission to remove a frame building from 112 Steuben street across the street to a vacant lot.

Referred to Committee on Laws and Ordinances.

Petition of C. E. Powell for permission to place a sign over the sidewalk at 92 Newark avenue.

Granted on motion of Alderman Smith.

Petition of C. V. Trapnagen for permission to place a sign over the sidewalk in front of his premises 195 Pavonia avenue.

Referred to Committee on Streets.

Petition of Mrs. Jane Freleigh, owner, for permission to place a sign over premises 48 York street, occupied by Christian Brown.

Granted on motion of Alderman Smith.

For Restaurant Licenses:

First District—John Connors, 34 Canal street; Peter Duggett, 115 Grove street; Charles S. Fox, 28 Montgomery street; Patrick O. Dowd, 82 York street, John Feenan, 11 Railroad avenue; Michael Thompson, 17 Grand street; Wm. H. Nafew & Son, 5 Exchange Place; William Wright, 224 Grand street; Mrs. Catherine Pelloth, 135 Warren street; Crowley & Garretson, 141 Warren street.

Second District—A. M. Fuller, superintendent abattoir, Harsimus Cove; Thos. Broaders, cor. 15th and Erie streets; H. & F. Miller, 223 Erie street: John Moran, Grand street, opposite Pacific avenue; Edward Hayes, 561 Henderson street; Daniel Noordsky, 133 Pavonia avenue; Daniel J. Kleiner, 273 Railroad avenue; M. Murphy, corner Fairmount avenue and Grand street; Michael McGinnis, 238 13th street; John Gallagher, 259 Railroad avenue; Mrs. C. Dougherty, 336 Jersey avenue; Englebert Neureiter, corner State and Grand streets; Michael Long, 575 Henderson street; Henry Beckmeyer, 201 Warren street; Fredk. Behuns, 209 Greene street; Gustav Kuerzel, 166 Pavonia avenue; Michael Murphy, 177 Warren street: Martin Schattner, 191 Wayne street.

Third District.—Francis Forrester, 68 Railroad avenue; George Kircher, 354 Coles street; Owen McCue, 234 Newark avenue; Frederick Schafer, 277 Coles street; Timothy Meehan, corner Sixth and Monmouth streets; Patrick Governan, 259 Newark avenue.

Fourth District.—Henry Klein, 344 St. Paul's avenue; Patrick Callaghan, 59 Carleton avenue; Peter Thomson, 1 Hoboken avenue; Henry Hauschen, corner Central avenue and Griffith street; Christian Kranz, Paterson street, near Summit avenue; Carsten Tiedmann, Sherman avenue, near Bowers street; Valentine Feldmeyer, 98 Central avenue; John Prigge, corner Manhattan and Sherman avenues; John Prigge, New York avenue near Franklin street; Anna M. Walz, 122 Franklin st.; Martin Bossuet, Laidlaw near Oakland av., P. W. Sina, Central avenue, near Congress street; Wm. Schemmer, corner Palisade avenue and Cedar street; Charles Bodecker, corner Passaic avenue and Paterson street; Robert Maxwell, 96 Central avenue; George Schmitt, 47 Franklin street; Cornelius Moriarty, corner St. Paul's avenue and Concord street.

Fifth District.—John Geiger, Monticello av., near Brinkerhoff st.; William McCleary, corner Hoboken and Summit avenues; Thomas Harrington, Church street, near Tuers avenue; Christian Jann, Tuers avenue near Vroom street; Paul Berg, Bergen avenue, opposite Duncan avenue; John Sanders, corner Montgomery street and Summit avenue; George Washington, 535 Newark avenue.

Sixth District—Patrick O'Rourke, Pamrapo, near Seaview avenue; J. Schullion, Kearney, near Ocean avenue; Wm. H. Rose, 140 Mallory avenue: Joseph Samuel, Kearney, near Jackson avenue; Adam Dannstadter, corner of Bergen and Grand avenues; Edward Weil, 11 Pacific avenue; Frederick Pischoff, Greenville avenue, near Old Bergen road; Charles Herig, "Greenville Grove," north side of Waverly avenue; Robert McCauley, 133 Pine street; Charles Schraner, corner of Rose and Chestnut avenues; Matthew Goveran, 333 Grand street; Michael Lenz, 477 Communipaw avenue; James F. Keenan, Bergen plank road, opposite Harmin street; Patrick Burke, corner of Old Bergen plank road and Pamrapo avenue; Margaret B. Neville, Pine street, near Newark Railroad. Conrad Frick corner of Waverly and Gardner avenues; William Murphy, Philip street, near Communipaw avenue.

Referred to Committee on Liquor Licenses.

Petition of C. Heckman, for transfer of his license to keep a restaurant at 161 New York avenue, to John Miltner, corner of Ferry street and Webster avenue, Fourth District.

Alderman Powell moved that the prayer of the petitioner be granted.

Alderman Van Cleef moved as an amendment, that the petition be referred to the Committee on Liquor Licenses.

The amendment was rejected by the following vote, the yeas and nays having been ordered and taken, on the call of the President.

Yeas—Alderman Helms, Van Cleef and White.

Nays—President Harrison and Aldermen Brown, Kase, Meyer, Powell, Smith, Soule and Wood.

The motion of Alderman Powell was then adopted.

For Trade Licenses—

James Collins, junk, corner St. Pauls and Oakland avenues, Fourth District.

Hugh McDevitt, junk, Summit avenue near Five Corners, 5th District.

Jacob Wetterchein, Jacob Cimmer, Jacob Wetterschein, Jr., H. H. Baker, Thomas Booth John Dalton, J. D. O'Conner and Michael Long to vend meat, fish, fruit and vegetables.

John M. Bogert and James Machin to vend merchandise, other than meat, fish, &c.

Of Henry McDermott as a Public Porter.

Referred to Committee on Trade Licenses.

PRESENTATION OF CLAIMS.

Claims were presented, received, and disposed of as follows:

Of Wm. McKean, $48.60; Robert Quinn, $33.60 and B. J. F. Roberts, $35.

Referred to Committee on Alms

Of John Boyd, $15.40; and John Brady, $76.59.

Referred to the Committee on Baths and Armories.

George Deegan, $22.95: and Tebbenhoff Bros., $61.13.

Referred to Committee on Printing, Stationery and Supplies.

Farrier & Garretson, $99.96 and $23.77.

Referred to Committee on Public Grounds and Buildings.

OFFICERS' COMMUNICATIONS.

A copy of a resolution adopted by the Board of Finance and Taxation, June 17, 1875, concurring in a resolution adopted by the Board of Public Works June 15, 1875, and concurred in by the Board of Aldermen June 15, 1875, to purchase one cargo of anthracite coal for Jersey City Water Works at Belleville, was presented, received and ordered filed.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

The Committee on Laws and Ordinances to whom was referred on the 15th inst. the petition of T. & M. C. Hardy, for remission of a fine imposed on one of their drivers, for driving over a sidewalk in violation of law, etc., presented a favorable report thereon, recommending the adoption of the following resolution:

Resolved, That as a matter of equity the sum of ten dollars is hereby ordered paid to T. & M. C. Hardy, owners of Hardy's Express, to refund fine imposed on one of their drivers for violation of ordinance on driving over sidewalk.

The report was received and the resolution adopted.

The Committee on Laws and Ordinances, to whom was referred May 25, 1875, the ordinance presented at that date, to authorize the North Hudson County Railway Company to lay a double track of iron rails in Grove street, from Newark avenue to the northerly limits of Jersey City in the place of the single track and turnouts now in said part of said street, presented a favorable report thereon recommending its passage,

The report was received and the ordinance laid upon the table.

The Committee on Streets reported the following resolutions on petitions referred to said Committee on the 23d inst,

Resolved, That permission be granted to John English to place a sign over the sidewalk in front of his premises No. 257 First street.

Resolved, That permission be granted to W, L. and J. W. Johnson to erect a wooden awning in front of their houses on Communipaw avenue opposite the Bell Tower.

The reports were received and the resolutions severally adopted.

AUDITING OF CLAIMS BY RESOLUTION.

The following resolutions were reported by committees in payment of claims heretofore referred.

By Committee on Alms:

Resolved, That the sum of $48 be paid to Buerk and Marquard for meat for outdoor poor from April 20 to May 18, 1875.

Resolved, That the sum of $123.75 be paid to John A. Duncan for groceries for outdoor poor from April 8 to May 13, 1875.

Resolved, That the sum of $320.50 be paid to the J. C. and Harsimus Cemetery Co. for burial of outdoor poor from J. C. Hospital from July 5, 1873, to June 19th, 1875.

Resolved, That the sum of $399.74 be paid to L. Munkie for bread for outdoor poor from April 1st to May 1st, 1875.

Resolved, That the sum of $10 be paid to Richard R. Ranken for services as Justice of the Peace in abandonment cases on complaint of Overseer of the Poor.

Resolved, That the sum of $72 90 be paid to Paul Schober for meat for outdoor poor to June 22, 1875.

By Committee on Baths and Armories:

Resolved, That the sum of $60 be paid to Louis Boetcher for paper hanging, &c., of room of "C" Co., 4th Regt., N. G. S. N. J.

Resolved, That the sum of of $73 be paid to R. B. Earle for chairs for Armory.

Resolved, That the sum of $71 be paid to R. B. Earle for upholstering lockers at Armory.

By Committee on Public Grounds and Buildings:

Resolved, That the sum of $67 be paid to E. McGonall for touching up and painting Hamilton Square fence.

The resolutions were adopted.

The following resolutions were reported by committees in payment of claims presented at this meeting.

By Committee on Alms:

Resolved, That the sum of $48.60 be paid to William McKean for meat for out-door poor, from April 13th to June 24th, 1875.

By Committee on Baths and Armories:

Resolved, That the sum of $15.40 be paid to John Boyd for painting and materials at Public Bath.

Resolved, That the sum of $76.59 be paid to John Brady for services as keeper of Public Bath, from June 8th to July 1st, 1875.

By Committee on Printing, Stationery and Supplies:

Resolved, That the sum of $22.95 be paid to George Deegan for (car fare, expressage, ferriage, &c.,) incidental expenses from May 18 to June 29, 1875.

The resolutions were adopted.

(Alderman McLaughlin returned and took his seat).

MISCELLANEOUS BUSINESS.

Resolutions were presented, received, and disposed of follows:

By Alderman White and adopted:

Resolved, That the Committee on Public Grounds and Buildings are hereby authorized if deemed expedient to cause the drain from drinking fountain in Hamilton Square to be repaired and relaid at a cost not to exceed sixty dollars.

By Alderman Soule and adopted:

Resolved, That warrants be drawn on the city treasurer in favor of the following named for payment of salaries for June, 1875, when due, viz:

John E. Scott, city clerk	$250 00
George Deegan, marshal	83 33
John E. Hewitt, overseer of the poor	83 33

By Alderman White and adopted:

Resolved, That the Committee on Public Grounds and Buildings are hereby authorized, if deemed expedient, to cause another drinking fountain to be placed in Hamilton square at a cost not to exceed seventy-five dollars.

On motion of Alderman Wood the following entitled ordinance presented on the 22d inst., was taken from the table for consideration, viz:

"An ordinance to amend an ordinance concerning hack drivers, omnibus drivers and porters in Jersey City," approved June 9, 1871.

The ordinance was passed by the following vote, the yeas and nays having been ordered and taken:

Yeas—President Harrison and Aldermen Brown, Helms, Kase, McLaughlin, Meyer, Powell, Smith, Soule, Van Cleef, White and Wood.

Nays—None

Alderman Van Cleef moved, That the ordinance reported at this meeting by the Committee on Laws and Ordinances, authorizing the North Hudson Co. Railway Company to lay a double track in Grove street north of Newark avenue, be taken from the table for consideration.

Alderman McLaughlin moved, That the Board do now adjourn.

The motion was rejected by the following vote, the yeas and nays having been ordered and taken, on the call of the President:

Yeas—Aldermen Brown, McLaughlin, and Wood.

Nays—President Harrison and Aldermen Helms, Kase, Meyer, Powell, Smith, Soule, Van Cleef and White.

Alderman Van Cleef's motion was adopted by the following vote, the yeas and nays having been ordered and taken on the call of the President:

Yeas—President Harrison and Aldermen Helms, Kase, Meyer, Powell, Smith, Soule and Van Cleef.

Nays—Aldermen Brown, McLaughlin, White and Wood.

By consent of the Board, Alderman McLaughlin, from the Committee on Laws and Ordinances, presented a minority report signed by himself alone, adverse to its passage of the ordinance, because of the narrowness of the street, &c., and moved

"That the report be read."

The motion was adopted by the following vote, the yeas and nays having been ordered and taken on the call of the President.

Yeas—All the members present (12) in number.

The report was then read.

Alderman McLaughlin moved: "That the minority report be adopted."

The motion was rejected by the following vote the yeas and nays having been ordered and taken on the call of the President.

Yeas—Aldermen Brown, McLaughlin, White and Wood.

Nays—President Harrison and Alderman Helms, Kase, Meyer, Powell, Smith, Soule and Van Cleef.

Alderman Van Cleef moved:

"That the ordinance be put upon its final passage.

Alderman Brown moved as an amendment "That the ordinance be laid upon the table and printed on slips for the use of the Board."

The motion was adopted by the following vote, the yeas and nays having been ordered and taken on the call of the President.

Yeas—President Harrison and Aldermen Frown, McLaughlin, Powell, Smith, White and Wood.

Nays—Aldermen Helms, Kase, Meyer, Soule, and Van Cleef.

On motion of Alderman McLaughlin the Board then adjourned.

JOHN E. SCOTT, City Clerk.

Regular meeting at the Aldermanic Chamber, City Hall, Tuesday, July 6, 1875, at 7:30 o'clock P. M.

Present—President Harrison and Aldermen Helms, Kase, McLaughlin, Powell, Soule and Van Cleef.

Alderman White was absent at the calling of the roll, but subsequently appeared and took his seat.

Absent—Aldermen Brown, Meyer, Smith and Wood.

The minutes of the regular meeting of June 29, 1875, were approved as printed in manual form on motion of Alderman McLaughlin.

PRESENTATION OF PETITIONS, ETC.

Petitions, etc., were presented, received and disposed of as follows:

Petition of W. R. Drayton for permission to erect an awning in front of his premises, No. 94 Montgomery street.

Granted on motion of Alderman Powell.

Petition of Abm. M. Vreeland for permission to erect an awning in front of his premises on west side of Grand street, near and north of Ivy place.

Granted on motion of Alderman Van Cleef.

Petition of L. H. Russ for permission to place a sign in front of 189 Pavonia avenue, accompanied by consent of H. M. Trapnagen, owner.

Granted on motion of Alderman Powell.

(Alderman White appeared and took his seat.)

Petition of Owen Masterson for transfer of his license to vend meat, fish, &c., to Henry Forbes.

Granted on motion of Alderman Helms.

Petition of Otto Meyer for an inn and tavern license at 8 and 10 Exchange place, First district.

Referred to Committee on Liquor Licenses.

For restaurant licenses.

First District—William Foster, 201 Grand street; James Quigley, 125 Essex street; Wm. Weigers, 71 Washington street; Wm. McCormack, 142 Essex street; W. H. Whelan, 14 Newark avenue; Francis Murphy, 211 Grand street; W. J Lynch, 100 Essex street; A. Hardekopf, 131 Montgomery street; Alex Pyle, 45 Newark avenue; J. N. Worster, 193 Henderson street; Paul Decker, 107 York street; Francis Whelan, 61 Washington street; J. W. Piess, 5 Montgomery street; R. K. Inglis, 40 York street; H. F. L. Lohmann, 325 Grove street; Patrick Dobbins, 217 Grand street; Peter Hermann, 141 Montgomery street; E. A. Rohlfs, 104 Warren street; McLean & Crudden, 49 Warren street; T. D. Cowan, 189 Henderson street; E. C. Dickinson, 90 Montgomery street; H. Gepp, 37 Sussex street; W. H. Hawkins, 29 Montgomery street; John Croffy, 204 Van Vorst street; Grafer & Menke, 59 Sussex street; James McGinness, 53 Warren street; Geo. Schankweiler, 193 Montgomery st.; August Julian, 13 Montgomery street; R. H. Muir, 199 Montgomery street; John D. Jurgens, 67 Hudson street; H. C. Harken, 58 Washington staeet, M. Grobhalz, 89 Newark avenue; Bridget Fallon, 19 Sussex street; John Mackin, 123 Montgomery street; John D. Jurkens, 90 Essex street; Patrick Doyle, 51 Newark avenue; John Smith, 101 Henderson street; Patrick Kitrick, 273 Grand street; Mary A. Van Doaren, 81 Hudson street; Frederick Spatz, 274 Grand street; D. Meayer, 273 Washington street; Wm. McDonald, 269 Grand street; Robert McGimpsey, 89 York street.

Second District—George Schultz, cor. Oswego and Grand streets; Patrick McLean, 175 Washington street; John J. Gillen, 220 Henderson street; Adolph W. Elmquist, 222 Henderson street; James Curtin, 541 Henderson street; Cornelius Denahy, 563 Henderson street; Stephen McCarthy, 128 Fifteenth street; John Hersche, 297 Newark avenue; Valentine Mattil, 269 Railroad avenue; Mrs. A. Lanon, 28 Railroad avenue; John Lynch, 212 Henderson street; Daniel Looney, 272 Eleventh street; Wm. J. Lynch, 336 First street; Joseph Fiesler, 147 Morgan street; Hugh O'Reilly, 267 Railroad avenue; Herman Focke, 351 First street; Michael Hogan, 8 Colgate street; Christian Moshel, 149 Wayne street; David C. Joyce, 228 Henderson street; Elizabeth Mills, 340 Newark avenue; Mrs. R. Dooley, 165 Tenth street; Frank Dooley, 213 Provost st.; Michael Masterson, 339 Wayne st.; Jere Sullivan, 266 Eleventh st.; Terence O'Gorman, Grand st., near Pryor st.; Maria McKnight, 232 Erie st.; Michael Sprouls, 332 Wayne st.; Mrs. B. Murphy, 137 Ninth st.; Edwin Malcolm, 588 Grand st.; Daniel Laney, 418 Henderson st.; John McAnally, 596 Grand st.; Zegmund Strzelecki, 140 Ninth st.; Henry Hanstein, 244 Railroad ave.; Sturcke Bros. 21 Brunswick st.; Mrs. M. Dorn, 304 Ninth st.; Louis Henry, 189 Wayne st., Benj. Otersere, 206 Provost st.; Jerry Murphy, 172 Twelfth st.; BernardCrosson, 197 Warren st.; B. Conlan, 422 Second st.; P. McKeirnan, 311 Washington st.; Anthony Reilly, 161 Bay st.; Michael Kelly, 138 Pavonia ave.; Patrick Fallon, cor. Ash st. and Pacific ave.; Adam Freund, 684 Grand st.; Daniel Murphy, 250 Erie st.; Peter Murphy, cor. Colgate and 1st st.; James Baxter, 224 Newark ave.; John O'Brien, 300 Newark ave.; Mrs. A. Havey, 122 Steuben st.; Jacob Simon, 274 Newark ave.; Thomas Foster, 339 Newark ave.; Joseph Cosgrove, 248 First st.; John Purcell, 208 Provost st.; John McCann, 518 Henderson st.; James Flannigan, 133 Steuben st.; John Moran, 128 Morgan st.; Reinhard Weiter, 349 Second st.; James Jobson, 185 Warren st.; Michael Conway, 383 First street; Thomas Gannon, 479 Grove street; Thomas Ready, 158 Warren street; Antonina Wioneskia, 192 Pavonia avenue; Heinrich Schmidt, 393 First street; Patrick McArdee, 211 Morgan street; Patrick McArder, 48 Bay street; Marx Hoff, 455 Henderson stseet; Patrick Connell, 461 Grove street; Thomas Fox, 32 Railroad avenue; Thomas McKeon, 356 Henderson street; John Burns, 252 Wayne street; Elizabeth McQuinney, 48 Railroad avenue; James Nolan, 262 Henderson street; James Nolan, 175 Provost st; Michael Giblein, 184 Wayne street; Cornelius Sullivan, 457 Henderson street; M. H. Carroll, 555 Grove street; Andrew McAra, 447 Newark avenue.

Third District—Mrs. Mary McCurnin, 33; Grove; Samuel R. Winfield, 72 Railroad avenue Edward Kelly, 317 Grove street; M. S. Hart, 214 Railroad avenue; Anton Hoefer, 301 First street; Patrick Tully, 177 Seventh street; Matthew Lawler, 175 Seventh street; John L Pelloth, 94 Newark avenue; James Baxter, 222 Newark avenue; John Lynch, 222 Grove street; Patrick Newman, corner Monmouth and First streets; John Anderson, 371 Seventh street; Thomas Denon, 183 Pavonia avenue; George Metzger, 236 Bay street; Philip Lind, 151 Jersey avenue; Cord True, 266 Monmouth street; Philip Nesbihal, 70 Railroad avenue; Sturcke Brothers, 247 Henderson street; William Rappe, 304 Third street; John Gleistein, corner of Monmouth and 7th streets; Charles Mitchell, 164 Morgan street; John Sheridan, 313 1st street; Patrick Morris, 349 Monmouth street; Theodore Carell, 170 5th street; John O. Holoran, 322 7th street; Jacob Stucky, 314 1st street; Peter Kappes, 294 Grove street; James Grimes, 353 Henderson street.

Fourth District.—John A. Sauer, 97 Webster avenue; Mrs. B. Connelly, 133 Laidlaw avenue; John Bott, Newark avenue near James street; H. M. Riker, 593 Summit avenue; Patrick Harlow, Hopkins near Oakland avenue; C. H. Meyer, Mountain Road, foot of steps; J. A. Engel, corner Laidlaw and Bonner avenues; Henry Dorscher, corner Palisade avenue and Franklin street; Henry Fehler, Mountain Road; C. M. Haoey, corner Summit and Laidlaw avenues; John Eller, Palisade avenue near Ferry street; Henry Strothman, 77 Laidlaw avenue; Nicholas Franklin, 365 Palisade avenue; Thomas Hanrahan, Newark near Tonnele avenue; Thomas O. Connor, corner Oakland and Beacon avenues; August Bolthe, Franklin street, near Central avenue; James O. Callahan, 103 Central avenue; Bernard Smith, 26 Terry Alley; G. W. Moore, 430 Palisade avenue; John Bryson, corner Beacon and Central avenues; August Foelger, Bleecker street near Terrace avenue; M. Unring, Newark avenue near Frazier Place; J. G. Bauer, cor. Newark ave and Frazier Place; Henry De Witt, 932 Summit avenue; D. Mahlenbrock, corner Central and Manhattan avenues; John Wagner, Newark near Nelson avenues; John Kraemer, Manhattan near Sherman avenue; Louis Wicht, Montrose near Manhattan avenue; William Sheehan, corner Newark avenue and Ferris street; John Leitz, 145 Beacon avenue; Wm. Robinson,

Beacon near Palisade avenue; Patrick Reilly, St. Paul near Central avenue.

Fifth District—James Ray, 632½ Communipaw avenue; John E. Donelly, Oakland near Newark avenue; Alexander Pairson, 531 Newark avenue; Thomas Boothrogd, corner Summit and Rock street; James McDonald, 153 Hoboken avenue; Theodore Jergans, Bergen, opposite Storms avenue: Frederick Smith, corner Monticello and Belmont avenues; Geo. Watson, Monticello avenue; Shields & Co., Communipaw, near Summit avenue; Adam Warner, 11 Hoboken avenue; Wm. Brown 512 Newark avenue; Catharine M. Hopken, Bergen, near Fairview avenue; Ferdinand Heintze, 597 Newark avenue.

Sixth District—Adam Lincks, 197 Railroad avenue; Nicholas Knogg, Factory lane; John Ruby, 227 Railroad avenue; Johann Mack, 229 Railroad avenue; John Bubser, Waverly, near Bergen avenue; Nicholas Arnold, corner Fulton and Bergen avenues; John C. Bockert, Greenville Grove; George Broughton, 16 Colden street; John D. Heins, Garden, near Rose avenue; Elizabeth Grinn, Garden, near Rose avenue; Joseph Kaiser, Waverly, near Bergen avenue; Nicholas Jantzen, corner Bergen and Greenville avenues; Jacob Zimmerlee, 207 Railroad avenue; Israel Oliver, corner Ocean and Britton avenues; Hermann Rurade, corner Fulton avenue and Essex street; Wilhelm Walter, Grand street, near Pacific avenue; Anton Sale, Jackson Lane; George Hasnergen, corner Myrtle avenue and Vreeland street; David E. Bonnell, foot of Danforth avenue; Valentine Puster, 22 Railroad avenue; John Schroll, Rose avenue; G. H. Seigenthaler, cor. Railroad and Jersey avenues; John Prout, cor. Old Bergen road and Chestnut avenue: A Zeugler, corner Old Bergen road and Danforth avenue; Chas. E. Loeffler, Bramhall, opp. Madison avenue; James Gathercole, 241 Grand street; John Brown, Yale, near Westside avenue; Frederick Softye, 19 Jersey avenue; Dennis O'Halloran, corner Ocean and Seaview avenues.

Referred to committeee on Liquor Licenses.

For Trade Licenses.

Of Jacob Zimner, Thomas Hughes, Thomas Kingdom, William Dawson, Jacob Bermerly, Patrick Patterton, Patrick Mulvey, John Fahey, James Gallagher, John Lynch, John Lynch, James Ryan, David Perry, Marks Bamkee, William Madden, John O'Neill, Jacob Wintz, Jacob Wintz, Robert Hartley, Thomas Barrington, John Glenn, Cornelius Clayton, Moses King, William Skeens, Philip Groz, Thomas McGraw, John Hafner, John Connell, Philip Kein, August Christman, August Christman, Joseph Ward, John Foster, James O'Hara, Thomas Hannon, William Carroll, James Coddell, Joseph Ehrhandt, John Burns, William Campbell, William Mailly, James Tully, James Tully, Sarah Goldstein, M. Mannion, Hubert Esser, John Conklin, and John Conklin to vend meat, fish, fruit and vegetables.

Of John McLaughlin, Thomas Welsh, Bernard Levi, Matthew Quinn, James Clark, Martin Frank, Joseph Garmisch, Philip Klein and James Fitzpatrick to vend merchandise other than meat, fish, fruit, &c.

To keep junk shops—First District—Hugh Dunn, 13 Railroad avenue; Philip White, 19 Essex street.

Second District—Christopher Lynch, 422 Second street; James Smith, 48 Bay street; Henry McArdle, 48 Bay street; Henry McArdle, 48 Bay street; George Griffiths, 75 Brunswick street; Patrick McArdle, 48 Bay street; Ernest Crome, 576 Grove street; James Collins, corner of Fifth and Brunswick streets; James Collins, corner of Fifth and Brunswick streets.

Third District—Edward McEvoy, 381 Henderson street.

Fourth District—Patrick shea, 119 Thomas street; James Tully, Beacon, near Oakland avenue; M. O'Callaghan, 103 Central avenue; James O'Callaghan, 103 Central avenue; James Kane, Waverly, near Central avenue; Cornelius Sullivan, 146 Beacon avenue.

Fifth District—Lewis Hesler, 541 Newark avenue.

Of Eugene Woolsey, as a city auctioneer.

Of Henry Fietjen, to vend cigars and tobacco.

Of John Foster & James Lyng, to vend kindling wood.

Of James Dorrington, John H. Lammiers, Wm. E. Gerdts and Morgan Shea, as public porters.

Referred to Committee on Trade Licenses.

PRESENTATION OF CLAIMS.

Claims were presented, received, and disposed of as follow-:

Of John W. Johnson, $54.30, and John Headden, Jr., $35.75.

Referred to Committe on Alms.

Of Henry Thompson, $23 50, McCoy Brothers, $108.80, and The Argus, $203.40.

Referred to Committee on Printing, Stationery and Supplies.

Of John Fitzpatrick, $24; G. J. Holbrook, $16; George B. Lockwood, $58, $18; Thos. McCullough, $48; and James H. Miles, $24.

Referred to Committee on Public Grounds and Buildings.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

The Committee on Laws and Ordinances, to whom was referred June 29, 1875, the petition of Patrick Dowling, for permission to remove building, &c., reported the following resolution in relation thereto:

Resolved, That permission is hereby granted to Patrick Dowling to remove a frame building from 112 Steuben street across the street to a vacant lot, provided such grant does not conflict with the rules of the Board of Fire Commissioners.

The report was received and the resolution adopted.

The Committee on Liquor Licenses reported the following resolution on applications heretofore referred.

The reports were received and the resolutions disposed of as follows:

Resolved, That licenses be granted to the following named to keep restaurants at the following named places in the First District:

John Morrow, 289 Grove st.; Martin B. Cullen, 127 Hudson st.; T. W. Kirk, 24 York st.; Augusta Mullery, 31 Montgomery st.; James Murtha, 110 Morris st.; John Heart, 153 Warren st.; C. T. Lange, 17 Newark ave.: John H. Offermann, 34 Essex st.; T. F. Flood, 152 Grand st.; George Luhrman, 70½ Essex st.; F. N. Kellers, 84 Greene st.; John Wehrenberg, 33 Morris st.; F. N. Kellers, 32 Sussex st.; John Connors, 34 Canal st.; Peter Dugett, 115 Grove st.; Charles S. Fox, 28 Montgomery st.; Patrick O'Dowd, 82 York st.; John Feenan, 11 Railroad ave.; Michael J. Thompson, 17 Grand st.; Wm. H. Nafew & Son, 5 Exchange Place; William Wright 224 Grand st.; Mrs. Catherine Pelloth, 136 Warren st.; Crowley & Garretson, 141 Warren st.

Resolved, That licenses be granted to the following named to keep restaurants at the following named places in the Second District:

Thomas Ryan, 115 Steuben street; Charles Boddy, 379 First street; William Nugent, 102 Steuben street; William A. Martin, 193 Warren street; Cornelius Murohy, 191 Warren street; Thomas Quinlan, 441 Newark avenue; Michael Phillips, 353 Second street; Mrs. Donnelly, 289 Railroad avenue; Lawrence Hohman, 425 Henderson street; Joseph Manning, Cornelison avenue near Fairmount avenue; Denis Lenahan, 346 Wayne street; Owen Masterson, 26 Railroad avenue; Joseph L. D. Lyon, 221 Provost street; Patrick Hughes, 428 Henderson street; William Braman, 14 Railroad avenue; Charles Murphy, Westervelt near Grand street; J. Luhrmann, cor. Bishop and State streets; Mrs. M. Casserly, 214 Thirteenth street; Frederick Maass, cor. State and Grand streets; A. W. Fuller, Supt. Abattoir, Harsimus Cove; Thomas Broaders, cor. Fifteenth and Erie streets; H. & F. Muller, 223 Erie street; John Moran, Grand street opp. Pacific avenue; Edward Hays, 561 Henderson street; Daniel Noordzy, 153 Pavonia avenue; Daniel J. Kearney, 273 Railroad avenue; M. Murphy, cor. Fairmount avenue and Grand street; Michael McGinness, 238 Thirteenth street; John Gallagher, 259 Railroad avenue; Mrs. C. Dougherty, 336 Jersey avenue; Engelbert Neureiter, cor. State and Grand streets; Michael Long, 575 Henderson street; Henry Deckmeyer, 201 Warren street; Frederick Behrens, 209 Greene street; Gustav Kuerzel, 166 Pa-

vonia avenue; Michael Murphy, 177 Warren street; Martin Schattner, 191 Wayne street.

Besolved: That licenses be granted to the following named to keep Restaurants at the following named places in the Third District:

E. H. Hellmer, 121 Erie street; Patrick Baxter, 317 First street; Martin Daly, 324 Seventh street; Charles Baechler, 307 Grove street; C. Casselman, 346 Second street; Ferdinand Stelling, 507 Coles street; William Siefert, 146 Newark avenue; Francis Forrester, 68 Railroad avenue; George Kircher, 354 Coles street; Owen McCne, 234 Newark avenue; Frederick Schafer, 277 Coles street; Timothy Meehan, corner Sixth and Monmouth street; Patrick Govern, 239 Newark avenue.

Resolved, That licenses be granted to the following named to keep Restaurants at the following named places in the Fourth District.

Frederick Luther, 99 Franklin street; Senez Noppel, Beacon near Central avenue; Christopher Heckmann, New York avenue near Franklin street; Peter Meinecke, 172 Congress street; Sarah Corrigan, St. Pauls near Summit avenue; Charles Lenmann, 410 Palisade avenue; William Bennkenn, corner Laidlaw and Oakland avenues; F. W. Clemmens, Jr., corner Hancock avenue and Hutton street; Mathew Jennings, 102 Central avenue; John Fogarty, 5 Germania avenue; D. Everitt, 109 Laidlaw avenue; Thomas Hopkins, 88 Central avenue. F. W. Knoblauch, corner Summit avenue and Griffith streets; James Mooney, Laidlaw between Central and Oakland avenues; Eugene Cronin, Newark avenue near Porter street; John P. Reinhardt, 42 Sherman avenue; Mary Dammann, 145 New York avenue; Otto Cumann, Duffield, near St. Paul's avenue; John G. Braubach, corner Passaic avenue and South street; John Fahy, Newark near Tonnele avenue; Henry Klein, 344 St. Paul's avenue; Patrick Callagnan, 39 Carlton avenue; Peter Thomson, 1 Hoboken avenue; Henry Henschen, corner Central avenue and Griffith street; Christian Kratz, Paterson street near Summit avenue; Carsten Tiedemann, Sherman avenue near Bowers street; Valentine Feldmeyer, 98 Central avenue; John Prigge, corner Manhattan and Sherman avenues; John Prigge, New York avenue near Franklin street; Anna M. Waltz, 122 Franklin street; Martin Bosquett, Laidlaw near Oakland avenue; F. W. Sina, Central avenue near Congress street; William Schermmer, corner Palisade avenue and Cedar street; Charles Boedecker, corner Passaic avenue and Paterson street; Robert Maxwell, 96 Central avenue; George Schmidt, 47 Franklin street; Cornelius Moriarty, corner St. Pauls avenue and Concord street.

Resolved, That licenses be granted to the following named to keep restaurants at the following places in the Fifth District:

B. Devanny, 70 Hoboken ave.; C. J. Donovan, cor. Newark and Oakland aves.; John Hamlin, Hoboken, near Summit ave.; Isaac N. Davies, Jr., 602 Newark ave.; John M. Hein, Summit avenue, about 75 feet south of St. Paul's ave., James Butler, Academy street, near Gray st.; William Cook, cor. Academy and Gray sts.; Reumpler & Middendorf, 600 Newark ave.; Thos. C. Scott, 687 Newark ave.; John Geiger, Monticello ave., east side, between Brinkerhoff st. and Vetterlein Place; Wm. McClary, cor. Hoboken and Summit aves.; Thomas Harrington, Church street, near Tuers ave.; Christian Jahn, Tuers ave. near Vroom st.; Paul Berg, Bergen ave., opp. Duncan ave.; John Sanders, cor. Montgomery st. and Summit ave.; George Washington, 535 Newark ave.

Resolved, That licenses be granted to the following named to keep restaurants at the following named places in the Sixth District:

George W. Green, cor. Ocean ave. and Union st.; William Schessler, Bergen, near Fulton ave.; Mrs. A. May, Communipaw, near Jackson ave.; Adam Bender, Bergen Point Plank Road, near Bramhall ave.; John Connor, Bergen Point Plank Road, between Bramhall ave. and Sherman st.; Robert Ferguson, Bergen Point Plank Road, between Bramhall avenue and N. &. N. Y. R. R.; Andrew Spousel, cor. Fulton and Bergen aves.; Patrick O'Rourke, Pamrapo, near Seaview ave.; J. Schullian, Kearney ave. near Ocean ave.; Willaim H. Rose, 140 Mallory avenue; Joseph Samuel, Kearney, near Jackson ave.; Adam Darmstadter cor. Bergen and Girard aves.; Edward Weil, 11 Pacific ave.; Frederick Bischot, Greenville ave. near Old Bergen Road; Charles Herig, Greenville Grove, north side of Waverly st.; Robert McCauley, 133 Pine st.; Charles Schreiner, cor. Rose and Chestnut aves.; Matthew Goveran, 333 Grand st.; Michael Lenz, 477 Communipaw ave.; James F. Keenan, Bergen Pt. Plank Road, opp. Harmon st.; Patrick Burke, cor. Old Bergen Road and Pamrapo ave.; Margaret Neville, Pine st. near Newark Plank Road; Conrad Finck, cor. Waverly and Garden aves.; William Murphy, Philip st. near Communipaw ave.

The resolutions were severally adopted by the following vote, the yeas and nays having been ordered and taken on the call of the President:

Yeas—All the members present—eight in number.

The Committee on Streets reported the following resolution on petition referred to said committee, June 29, 1875:

Resolved, That permission is hereby granted to C. V. Traphagen to place a sign over the sidewalk in front of premises owned by him, 195 Pavonia avenue.

The report was received and the resolution adopted.

The Committee on Trade Licenses reported the following resolutions on applications heretofore referred.

The reports were received, and the resolutions disposed of as follows:

Resolved, That licenses to vend meat, fish, fruit and vegetables, from a wagon, cart or other vehicle, in Jersey City, be issued by the Mayor and City Clerk, under the corporate seal of the city, to the following named, on their paying the license fees: William Buddenbaum, Luke Burke, John W. Field, Arnold Polster, Conrod Yoerg, John Howe, H. J. Elkington, Y. Parker, Peter Ryan, Jacob Barkley, Charles Pool, Henry Duderstadt, William Carey, Pat'k Isaac Brown, August Champert, Jas. H. Wood, John Brown, William Meyer, John Gregory, Jas. Mullins, John J. Smith, J. W. Vaughn, Owen Masterson, Jacob Wetterschein, Jacob Cimmer, Jacob Wetterschein, Jr., H. H. Baker, Michael Long, John Dalton, Jeremiah D. O'Connor and Thomas Booth.

Resolved, that licenses to vend any other merchandise (than and excepting meat, fish, fruit, vegetables, kindling wood, cigars and tobacco,) from a wagon, cart or other vehicle, in Jersey City, be issued by the Mayor and City Clerk, under the corporate seal of the city, to the following named, on their paying the license fees:

John McMahan, Samuel Riley, Patrick Moriarty, William A. Scott, A. Stivers, Thomas Dillion, Alois Sauter, John Greaney, Jacob F. Gardner, Patrick Flannigan, Samuel Kane, John M. Bogert and James Mackin.

Resolved, That a license to vend cigars and tobacco from a wagon, cart or vehicle in Jersey City, be issued by the Mayor and City Clerk, under the corporate seal of the city to Wolf Sussmon on his paying the license fees.

Resolved, That a license to vend kindling wood from a wagon, cart or other vehicle in Jersey City be issued by the Mayor and City Clerk under the corporate seal of the city to John Oakley on his paying the license fees.

Resolved, That licenses as Public Porters be issued by the Mayor and City Clerk under the corporrte seal of the city, to Gustav Hubner and Thomas Scott on their paying the license fees.

Resolved, That a license as a Public Porter be issued by the Mayor and City Clerk under the corporate seal of the city to Henry McDermott, on his paying the license fees.

Resolved, That licenses to keep junk shops at the following named places in Jersey City be issued by the Mayor and City Clerk, under the corporate seal of the city, to the following named on their paying the license fees:

James Fitzpatrick, 197 Provost street, Second district; John Meany, 356 Wayne street, Second district; Casper Dietz, Meadow street, near St. Paul's avenue, Fourth district; Henry Ricter, Palisade, near Beacon avenue, Fourth district; James Collins, corner St. Paul's and Oakland

avenues, Fourth district; Hugh McDevitt, Summit avenue, near Five Corners, Fifth district.

The resolutions were adopted.

AUDITING OF CLAIMS BY RESOLUTION.

The following resolutions were reported by the Committee on Public Grounds and Buildings in payment of claims heretofore referred.

Resolved, That the sum of $99.95 be paid to Farrier & Garetson, for repairing fountains at Hamilton and Van Vorst squares.

Resolved, That the sum of $23.77 be paid to Farrier & Garretson, for plumbing work at city pound.

Resolved, That the sum of $195.80 be paid to O'Mara Brothers, for repairing roof, leaders,&c., at City Hall.

The resolutions were adopted.

The following resolutions were reported by the Committee on Public Grounds and Buildings in payment of Claims presented at this meeting:

Resolved, That the sum of $24 be paid to John Fitzpatrick, for services as keeper of Washington square for last half of June, 1875.

Resolved, That the sum of $16 be paid to G. J. Holbrook, for four tons of white gravel.

Resolved, That the sum of $58 be paid to G. B. Lockwood, for putting in sewer and re-opening fountain in Hamilton square.

Resolved, That the sum of $18 be paid to G. B. Lockwood, for repainting fountain in Van Vorst square.

Resolved that the sum of $48 be paid to Thos. McCullough, for services as keeper of Van Vorst square for June, 1875.

Resolved, That the sum of $24 be paid to James H. Miles, for services as keeper of Washington square, for first half of June, 1875.

The resolutions were adopted.

MISCELLANEOUS BUSINESS.

On motion of Alderman White the Board took a recess for five minutes.

On reassembling the following resolution was offered by Alderman White and adopted.

Resolved, That the Committee on Public Grounds and Buildings be authorized to have the Public Pound in Seventh street, Jersey City, repaired and placed in a proper condition at a cost not to exceed the sum of eighty dollars.

Alderman McLaughlin moved that the ordinance presented June 29, 1875, to authorize the North Hudson County Railroad Co. to lay a double track of iron rails in Grove street north of Newark avenue be taken from the table for consideration.

The motion was rejected by the following vote, the yeas and nays having been ordered and taken on the call of the President:

Yeas—Aldermen McLaughlin and White.

Nays—President Harrison and Aldermen Helms, Kase, Powell, Soule, and Van Cleef.

On motion of Alderman Kase the Board adjourned.

JOHN E. SCOTT,
City Clerk.

Special meeting at the Aldermanic Chamber, City Hall, Wednesday, July 14, 1875, at 8 o'clock P. M., for the purpose of considering the subject matter of construction of bridge at the southerly end of Washington street, leading to the New Jersey Central Railroad.

Present — Aldermen Brown, McLaughlin, Smith, Soule, White and Wood.

Absent—President Harrison and Aldermen Helms, Kase, Meyer, Powell and Van Cleef.

Less than a quorum being present, on motion of Alderman Smith the Board adjourned.

JOHN E. SCOTT, City Clerk.

Regular meeting at the Aldermanic Chamber, City Hall, Tuesday, July 20, 1875, at 7:30 o'clock P. M.

In the absence of the President the Board was called to order by the City Clerk.

Present—Aldermen Brown, Helms, McLaughlin, Meyer, Powell, Smith, Soule, Van Cleef, White and Wood.

Alderman Kase, was absent at the calling of the roll, but subsequently appeared and took his seat.

Absent—President Harrison.

On motion of Alderman McLaughlin Alderman Brown was appointed President pro tempore.

The minutes of the regular meeting of the 6th inst., and of the special meeting of the 14th inst., were approved as printed in manual form on motion of Alderman Powell.

PRESENTATION OF PETITIONS, ETC.

Petitions, etc., were presented, received and disposed of as follows:

Petition of Robert Graham for permission to remove his frame building from Camoridge to Central avenue, between South and Congress streets.

Granted on motion of Alderman Helms.

Petition of C. Dierckson for permission to remove a frame building from Palisade to New York avenue, and to occupy the latter for about one day in turning the building, 100 feet from Franklin street, between Hutton and Griffith streets.

Granted on motion of Alderman Van Cleef.

Petition of Christopher Walsch for permission to erect an awning in front of his premises, 1,178 Summit avenue.

Granted on motion of Alderman Powell.

Petition of Thomas McConnell for permission to erect an awning in front of his premises, cor. Bonner and St. Paul's avenues.

Granted on motion of Alderman Powell.

Petition of Henry Fischer for permission to place a sign over the sidewalk in front of his place of business, southwest corner of Communipaw avenue and Barrow street.

Granted on motion of Alderman Meyer.

Petition of G. C. Groeschel and others for the passage of an ordinance to prohibit the playing of ball on any open ground in the city, and complaining of the disorderly conduct of persons frequenting the former St. George cricket ground on Nelson avenue, 4th district.

Referred to Committee on Laws and Ordinances.

Remonstrances of Charles Mix and others, and Thomas Fitzsimmons and others against the laying of a double track of iron rails in Grove street

Referred to the Committee of the Whole on motion of Alderman McLaughlin.

Petition of Michael Kelly for transfer of his restaurant license 138 Pavonia avenue to Edward Farley.

Granted on motion of Alderman Smith.

For Restaurant Licenses:

First District—Patrick McLoughlin, 111 Morris street; Michael Doyle, 45 York street; Michael Doyle, 48 Hudson street; Patrick Calahan, 39 Morris street; Alfred Cox, 113 Washington street; John Harden, 215 Van Vorst street; Edward Braden, 222 Grand street; Matthew Farrell, 130 Hudson street; T. J. Turley, 87 Hudson street; James Weober, 114 Washington street; Reilly & Co., Pennsylvania R. R. Depot; C. Birdsall, 216 Barrow street; John Flavel, 33 R. R. avenue; Francis Boland, 41 Greene street; Michael Mone, 190 Montgomery stree; Thom s Gross, corner Grand and Hudson streets; Frank Wahlen, 142 Morris street; Louis Heller, 109 Montgomery street; John Saner, 202 Grove street; Michael Kilroy, 384 Greene street; Mrs. P. Dowling, 5 R. R. avenue; C. Wilbrand, 92 Dudley street; Edward McGinniss, 161 Newark avenue; Mrs. Sophia Zschau, 147 Newark avenue; D Muller & Sons, 15 Montgomery street.

Second District—John Costigan, 374 2d street; Michael McGinniss, 411 1st street; Mary Masterson, 29 1st st; Leonerd Necherman, 259 Coles st; Deidrich Muller, 50 Pavonia avenue: M. Kilduff, corner White street and Fairmount avenue; Jacob Stumpf, 270 Railroad avenue; Hulet Seyboldt, 123 Pavonia avenue; John Miller, 364 1st street; M. McGrath, 207 Greene street; John Casey, 485 Grove street; John Harms, 384 7th street; Edward Barry, 431 Newark avenue; Patrick Noonan, Grand street, opposite Woodward street; Charles Fields, 203 Warren street; James Grime, 232 Wayne street; Gilbert Gannon, 235 Wayne street; Fritz Frey, 140 Steuben street; Michael O'Keefe, 129 Morgan street; Edward May, 371 3d street; John Howe, 226 Wayne street; C. W. Gilbert, 171 10th street; Thomas Sheehan, cor. Fairmount ave and Whyte street; Wm. E. Gerdts, 130 Pavonia avenue; Thomas Hickey, 197 Greene street; James Smith, 224 Henderson street; Mrs. J. McCarthy, 54 1st street; John O'Keefe, 258 Mercer street; Peter O'Connor, 178 Mercer street; John Curtis, 334 Jersey avenue; F. A. Seitz, 333 9th street; Philip Reilly, 426 1st street; John Kiser, Bergen Point plank road, near Grand street; Edward McGinness, 127 Pavonia avenue: Jno. O'Rourke, 9 Ivy Place.

Third District—Jno. Hurson, 316 3d street; Geo. Miller, 275 Grove street, Frank Glaser, 284 1st street; Jacob Frisch, 288 1st street; Margaret Falls, 318 3d street; Charles King, 308 Newark avenue; Charles King, 319 1st street; Mary Bluhne, 255 1st street; Rudolph Sailer, 288 Newark avenue; Jno. Jennings, 276 Monmouth street; Jacob Guterl, 253 Newark avenue; Bernard McCarty, corner Coles and 1st streets; Behrens Bros., 313 3d street; Herrman Behrens, 344 Coles street; J. H. Prillwitz, 235 Newark avenue; W. H. Brommer & Sons, 186 Newark avenue; Jno. McGovern, 244 Newark avenue; Patrick Toner, 365 Henderson street.

Fourth District—John Onle, corner New York avenue and Franklin street; Franz Blatz, New York ave. near Franklin st; Barnwell Sweetingham, Thorne street, near Summit avenue; Henry Goedecher, corner Pearce avenue and Paterson street; Edward Henn, Newark avenue, near Porter street; Jacob Schober, corner Newark and Germania avenues; Wm. Dietrich, 27 Bleecker street; Heinrich Rink, 33 Congress street; Patrick McDonough, 402 Palisade avenue; Fred Schussler, 299 Central avenue; Matthias Henn, 93 Sherman avenue; August Mast, corner Franklin street and Cambridge avenue; G. B. Dean, 165 Hutton street; Stephen Baney, Summit avenue, near Jay street; John Rooney, 97 Jefferson avenue; Henry Krampkamp, Germania avenue, near Bleecker street; J. H. Fechtermoller, Paterson street; Patrick Geron, corner Germania avenue and Spruce street; Marcus Hencke, corner Dunham avenue and Bleecker street; John Tietjen, corner Lincoln street and Milton avenue; G. W. Rigenranch, cor. Cambridge and Bowers st.; Peter Schroeder, corner Summit ave. and Charles st.; August Stephen, Griffith st., near Central ave.; Patrick Foley, Summit ave., near Five Corners; William Schonmer, 128 Beacon ave.; Joseph Strentrert, 26 Beacon ave.; Henry Nuhn, cor. Summit ave. and Grace st.; John C. Batjer, cor. Ferry st. and Webster ave.; Wm. Campbell,, 46 Laidlaw ave.; Patrick Bonner, Newark near Tonnele ave.; Thomas Ratigan, 6 Beacon ave.; John Baumgartner, Tonnele ave. near North st.; Phillip Heiger, Bonner near Beacon ave.; Michael Kelly, Summit ave. near Jay st.; Frank Konllund, Newark ave. near James st.; John C. Weiss, cor. Hutton st. and Cambridge ave.; John Benning, 157 Oakland ave.; Sylvester Byrne, cor. Central ave. and Hutton st.; Lewis Kersten, Griffith st., near Nelson ave.; Claus Meyer, Summit ave. near Congress st.; Edward Wrede, 94 Webster ave.; Mrs M. Martini, cor. Summit ave. and Thorne st.; Leopold Hungs, Leonard st. near Summit ave.; John Haughy, 45 Congress st.; Mrs. C. Meyer, corner Jefferson and Oakland aves. John Rooney, cor. Summit ave. and Jay st.; Fritz Berger, Newark opp. Germania ave.; John Budesbecker, St. Pauls near Westside ave. Wm. Madden, 136 St. Pauls ave.

Fifth District—John Sanders, Montgomery street near Bostwick place; John Eaves, 621 Newark avenue; Frederick Ruempler, 68 Hoboken avenue; Marion Building Company, St. Jas. Hotel, Marion, N. J.; J. Adam Scherer, 115 Hoboken avenue; George Lersch, "Glendale Pavilion" Newark Plank Road; Robert Blewvitt, Communipaw avenue near Bergen avenue; John McCarty, 530 Newark avenue; Hugh Flynn, Tuers avenue near Church street; Pat-

rick Collins, corner Orchard and Crawford streets; Adolph Laine, 395 Palisade avenue; Theodore Lemmerz, 642 Newark avenue; F. Mahnker, Communipaw opposite Jackson avenue.

Sixth District—James Harrison, Newark Plank Road near Bridge; Valentine Lauer, Greenville avenue near Bergen Road; Sebastian Goehner, Bergen near Erie avenue; Jacob Kortlang, corner Old Bergen Road and Seaview avenue; Patrick Anglescy, 301 Grand street; Patrick McCabe, Pamrapo avenue near Old Bergen Road; Daniel Mitchell, Kearney near Jackson avenue; Patrick Sullawn, Kearney near Ocean avenue; Joseph Casper, Forrest street near Ocean avenue; John Dolan, 243 Wayne street, Patrick Clarke Halliday street near N. & N. Y. R. R.; Henry Fisher, corner Communipaw avenue and Narrow street; Christian Hopmann, corner Woodlawn and Bergen avenue; Coney Gamacher, 357 Grand street; Frederick Gail, corner Chestnut and Rose avenues; Patrick Kelly, Communipaw avenue near Westside avenue; Richard Farrell, Ocean near Myrtle avenue; Michael Fay, Kearny avenue near Rose street; Fardy Grady, north side of Merseles avenue; John Schmidt, Bergen near Walker avenue; Wm. Baker, Bostwick near Ocean avenue; Fred. Denhardt, Pamrapo avenue near Old Bergen Road; C. F. Meyer, corner Communipaw avenue and Sackett street.

Referred to Committee on Liquor Licenses.

For Trade Licenses:

To vend meat, fish, fruit and vegetables.

Of A. Hearson, William Dietrich, Frederick Thau, John Neville, John Briordy, Sam. Meek, Wm. Wittenzwei, C. Coppinger, Jacob Christman, Michael Hagen, Michael Hennessy, Joseph Hurley, John Garry, Henry Zimmer, Henry Zimmer, Elizabeth Fick, Louis Shunk, George Fick, Anton Fehring, Thomas Holden, George Cunningham, James Hunt, Patrick Higgins, George Fick, Charles Fields, James Marshall, John Dolan, John Crosby, Geo. Blakey, Wm. Baker, John Lumm, Martin Gibbons, John Monahan, Moses Boyce, Louis Shunk, Edward F. Creech, Michael McCormack, Michael Coyne, Dennis Murphy, Thomas Masterson, Peter Hermann, Spencer Babcock, Isaac Clyde, Patrick Quinn, Pat McGovern, Henry Filce, Edward Gilliland, Michael Curran, Jas. Jackson, Henry Geaver and Michael Kilroy.

To vend kindling wood:

James Gough and John Carr.

To vend merchandise:

A. Schuppan, A. Schuppan, Horace Green, Michael Carter, C. Schanewede, Matthew Sullivan, Valentine Klein, Wm. G. Ferguson, Arras Green, John Oxley, George Kreh, Max Cohen, George Mutchler, H. Sutherland and Frederick Flannagan.

To keep junk shops:

Jas. Fitzgerald, 225 Henderson st., 1st dist.; Jas. Collins, cor. Brunswick and 5th sts., 2d dist.; Jas. Devlin, 253 Henderson st., 3d dist; Stephen Reilly, Hopkins near Central ave., 4th dist.; Thomas Lynch, Charlotte st. near St. Pauls ave., 4th dist.; George Hausche, 83 Beacon ave., 4th dist.; Edward McCuskey, 136 Central ave., 4th dist.; Michael Keeman, Grace st. near Central ave., 4th dist.; Wm. Hallisey, Laidlaw near Summit ave., 4th dist; Thomas Kenny, Terry alley, 4th dist.; F. W. Zeiker, 129 Laidlaw ave., 4th dist.; H. Sutherland, Cartaret ave. near Bergen Point plankroad, 6th dist.

Of Andrew Kerr as a public porter, and of Joseph Warren as an auctioneer.

Referred to Committee on Trade Licenses.

For transfer of trade licenses to vend meat, fish, fruit and vegetables:

Michael Hennessey to Robert Gilliland, John Lynch to Nicholas Farrell, Joseph Ehrhardt to John Ehrhardt, August Christman to Henry Deubert, Geo. Fick to Frank Nelson, Henry Zimmer to Martin Hines.

To vend merchandise:

A. Schuppan to Henry Rugen.

Referred to Committee on Trade Licenses.

PRESENTATION OF CLAIMS.

Claims were presented, received, and disposed of as follows:

Of John Geyer, $4.80, and P. N. Horsley $7.70 and $6.50.

Referred to Committee on Alms.

Of Jersey City Gas Light Co. $14.18, Chas. Scott, $12.16, and N. B. Shafer, $190.83.

Referred to Committee on Baths and Armories.

Of W. V. Horton, $75; Jersey City Directory Co., $ 2, and McEvoy Bros. $32 25.

Referred to Committee on Printing, Stationery and Supplies.

Of John Higgins, $48; Jersey City Gas Light Co., $288.98; Cecelia Kemp, $50; Michael Kerrigan, $48, and Charles Scott, $34.24.

Referred to Committee on Public Grounds and Buildings.

OFFICERS' COMMUNICATIONS.

The City Clerk laid before the Board the following communication from his Honor the Mayor filed in the City Clerk's office on the 10th inst., and the same was read, received, ordered to be entered at large in the minutes, and on motion of Alderman McLaughlin, ordered filed.

MAYOR'S OFFICE, CITY HALL,
Jersey City, July 10, 1875.

To the Honorable the Board of Aldermen of Jersey City:

Gentlemen:—I herewith return to you without my signature the annexed resolution as passed by your Board relative to the refunding of the fine imposed upon T. & M. C. Hardy, and which was presented to me for approval July 1st. for the following reason:

Because no power is given the Board of Aldermen, under the present charter, to remit fines for violation of ordinances.

Respectfully yours,
HENRY TRAPHAGEN,
Mayor.

The City Clerk laid before the Board the following communication from his Honor the Mayor, filed in the City Clerk's office on the 10th inst., and the same was read, received, ordered to be entered at large in the minutes, and on motion of Alderman McLaughlin, ordered filed.

MAYOR'S OFFICE, CITY HALL,
Jersey City, July 10, 1875.

To the Honorable the Board of Aldermen of Jersey City:

Gentlemen—I hereby return to you the annexed resolution passed by your Board and presented to me for approval, without my signature, for the following reason:

Because there are no items stated in the claim as should be.

I therefore ask that the same be referred back to the proper committee for correction.

Respectfully yours,
HENRY TRAPHAGEN,
Mayor.

(Resolution annexed being to pay claim of R. R. Rankin for services as justice of the peace in abandonment cases $10, ordered paid June 29, 1875.)

The city clerk laid before the Board the following communication from His Honor, the Mayor, filed in the city clerk's office on the 13th inst., and the same was read, received and ordered to be entered at large on the journal of proceedings, and on motion of Alderman McLaughlin ordered filed.

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT, CITY HALL,
JERSEY CITY, July 13, 1875.

To the Honorable Board of Aldermen of Jersey City:

Gentlemen—I herewith return to you without my signature the annexed ordinance, entitled "an ordinance to amend an ordinance concerning hack drivers, omnibus drivers and porters in Jerse City," approved June 9, 1871, passed by your Board June 29, 1875, and presented to me July 3d, for the following reasons:

Because the proposed amendment to the 4th section would be merely beneficial to the owners of coaches and hotels, and would exclude the hotel proprietors; the rule to be applied to the construction of penal ordinances, is that they shall be strictly construed, and the amendment as proposed should be more general than in its present form.

The proposed amendment to the tenth section in my opinion should not be made as there are enough policemen now in the employ of the city to prevent any violation of the ordinances, and if the proposed amendment should become a law, the policemen might not consider themselves bound to prevent the violation of ordin-

ances, as by the proposed amendment none but State officers would derive any benefit by means of the fines imposed. The city should, in my opinion, derive all benefits incurred in the way of fines for the violation of ordinances.

The word justice in the same section is too general and might be made to apply to justices of the peace and not to police justices as intended, as justices of the peace have no control over ordinances violated.

Yours, respectfully,
HENRY TRAPHAGEN,
Mayor.

A communication from the clerk of the Board of Finance and Taxation submitting a copy of an opinion from the corporation counsel, presented to said Board on the 8th inst., that the Board of Aldermen have no power to remit fines imposed for violation of city ordinances was presented, received, and ordered filed.

Alderman Kase appeared and took his seat.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

The Committee on Liquor Licenses reported the following resolutions on applications heretofore referred.

The reports were received and the resolutions disposed of as follows:

Resolved, That a license be granted to Otto Meyer to keep an inn and tavern at 8 and 10 Exchange Place in the First district.

Resolved, That licenses be granted to the following named to keep restaurants at the following named places in the First district:

William Foster, 201 Grand street; James Quigley, 125 Essex street; William Weigers, 71 Washington street; William McCormack, 142 Essex street; W. H. Whelan, 14 Newark avenue; Francis Murphy, 211 Grand street; W. J. Lynch, 100 Essex street; A. Hardekopf, 131 Montgomery street; Alex Pyle, 45 Newark avenue; J. N. Worster, 193 Henderson street; Paul Decker, 107 York street; Francis Whelan, 61 Washington street; J. W. Riess, 5 Montgomery street; R. K. Inglis, 40 York street; H. F. L. Lohmann, 325 Grove street; Patrick Dobbins, 217 Grand street; Peter Hermann, 141 Montgomery street; E. A. Rohlfs, 104 Warren street; McLean & Crudden, 43 Warren street; T. D. Cowan, 189 Henderson street; E. C. Dickinson, 90 Montgomery street; H. Gepp, 37 Sussex street; W. H. Hawkins, 29 Montgomery street; John Croffy, 204 Van Vorst street; Grafer & Menke, 59 Sussex street; James McGinness, 53 Warren street; Geo. Schankweiler, 193 Montgomery st.; August Julian, 13 Montgomery street; R. H. Muir, 199 Montgomery street; John D. Jurgens, 67 Hudson street; H. C. Harken, 58 Washington staeet, M. Grobholtz, 89 Newark avenue; Bridget Fallon, 19 Sussex street; John Mackin, 123 Montgomery street; John D. Jurgens, 90 Essex street; Patrick Doyle, 51 Newark avenue; John Smith, 101 Hudson street; Patrick Kitrick, 273 Grand street; Mary A. Van Doaren, 81 Hudson street; Frederick Spatz, 274 Grand street; D. Meayer, 273 Washington street; Wm. McDonald, 269 Grand street; Robert McGimpsey, 89 York street.

Resolved, That licenses be granted to the following named to keep restaurants at the following places in the Second District:

George Scheetz, corner Oswego and Grand streets; Patrick McLean, 175 Washington street; John J. Gillen, 220 Henderson street; Adolph W. Elmquist, 222 Henderson street; James Curtin, 541 Henderson street; Cornelius Denahy, 563 Henderson street; Stephen McCarthy, 128 Fifteenth street; John Hersche, 297 Newark avenue; Valentine Mattil, 269 Railroad avenue; Mrs. A. Lanon, 28 Railroad avenue; John Lynch, 212 Henderson street; Daniel Looney, 272 Eleventh street; Wm. J. Lynch, 336 First street; Joseph Fiesler, 147 Morgan street; Hugh Reilly, 267 Newark avenue; Herman Focke, 351 First street; Michael Hogan, 8 Colgate street; Christian Moshel, 109 Wayne street; David C. Joyce, 228 Henderson street; Elizabeth Mills, 340 Newark avenue; Mrs. R. Dooley, 165 Tenth street; Frank Dooley, 213 Provost st.; Michael Masterson, 239 Wayne st.; J. Sullivan, 236 Eleventh st.; Terence O'Gorman, Grand st., near Pryor st.; Maria McKnight, 232 Erie st.; Michael Sprouls, 332 Wayne st.; Edwin Malcolm, 588 Grand street; John McAnally, 596 Grand st.; Zegmund Strzelecki, 140 Ninth st.; Henry Hanstein, 244 Railroad ave.; Sturcke Bros. 21 Brunswick st.; Mrs. M. Dorn, 304 Ninth st.; Louis Henry, 189 Wayne st., Benj. Otersen, 206 Provost st.; Jerry Murphy, 172 Twelfth st.; Bernard Crosson, 197 Warren st.; B. Conlan, 422 Second st.; P. McKeirnan, 311 Washington st.; Anthony Reilly, 161 Bay st.; Michael Kelly, 138 Pavonia ave.; Patrick Fallon, cor. Ash st. and Pacific ave.; Adam Freund, 684 Grand st.; Daniel Murphy, 250 Erie st.; Peter Murphy, cor. Colgate and 1st st.; James Baxter, 224 Newark ave.; John O'Brien, 300 Newark ave.; Mrs. A. Havey, 122 Steuben st.; Jacob Simon, 274 Newark ave.; Thomas Foster, 339 Newark ave.; Joseph Cosgrove, 238 First st.; John Purcell, 208 Provost st.; John McCann, 348 Henderson st.; James Flannigan, 133 Steuben st.; John Moran, 128 Morgan st.; Reinhard Weiter, 349 Second st.; James Jobson, 185 Warren st.; Michael Conway, 383 First street; Thomas Gannon, 479 Grove street; Thomas Ready, 158 Warren street; Antonina Wioneskia, 192 Pavonia avenue; Heinrich Schmidt, 393 First street; Patrick McArdle, 211 Morgan street; Patrick McArdle, 48 Bay street; Marx Hoff, 455 Henderson street; Patrick Connell, 461 Grove street; Thomas Fox, 32 Railroad avenue; Thomas McKeon, 356 Henderson street; John Burns, 252 Wayne street; Elizabeth McQuinney, 48 Railroad avenue; James Nolan, 263 Henderson street; James Nolan, 175 Provost st; Michael Giblin, 184 Wayne street; Cornelius Sullivan, 457 Henderson street; M. H. Carroll, 555 Grove street; Andrew McAra, 447 Newark avenue.

Resolved, That licenses be granted to the following named persons to keep restaurants at the following named places in the Third District:

Mrs Mary McCurnin, 334 Grove st; Samuel R. Winfield, 72 Railroad avenue, Edward Kelly, 317 Grove street; M. S. Hart, 214 Railroad avenue; Anton Hoefer, 301 First street; Patrick Tully, 177 Seventh street; Matthew Lawler, 175 Seventh street; John L. Pelloth, 94 Newark avenue; James Baxter, 222 Newark avenue; John Lynch, 222 Grove street; Patric Newman, corner Monmouth and First streets; John Anderson, 371 Seventh street; Thomas Dinon, 183 Pavonia avenue; George Metzger, 235 Bay street; Philip Lind, 157 Jersey avenue; Cord True, 266 Monmouth street; Philip Nesbihal, 70 Railroad avenue; Stucke Brothers, 247 Henderson street; William Rappe, 304 Third street; John Gleistein, corner of Monmouth and 7th streets; Charles Mitch II, 164 Morgan street; John Sheridan, 313 1st street; Patrick Morris, 249 Monmouth street; Theodore Carroll, 170 5th street; John O. Holoran, 322 7th street; Jacob Stucky, 314 1st street; Peter Kappes, 294 Grove street; James Grimes, 353 Henderson street.

Resolved, That licenses be granted to the following named to keep restaurants at the following named places in the Fourth District:

John A. Sauer, 97 Webster avenue; Bridget Connelly, 133 Laidlaw avenue; John Bott, Newark avenue near James street; Henry M. Riker, 593 Summit avenue; Patrick Harlow, Hopkins near Oakland avenue; C. H. Meyer, Mountain Road, foot of steps; J. A. Engel, corner Laidlaw and Bonner avenues; Henry Dorscher, corner Palisade avenue and Franklin street; Henry Fehler, Mountain Road; C. M. Havey, corner Summit and Laidlaw avenues; John Eller, Palisade avenue near Ferry street; Henry Strothman, 77 Laidlaw avenue; Nicholas Frauseim, 363 Palisade avenue; Thomas Hanrahan, Newark near Tonnele avenue; Thomas O'Connor, corner Oakland and Beacon avenues; August Boethe, Franklin street, near Central avenue; James O. Callahan, 103 Central avenue; Bernard Smith, 26 Terry Alley; G. W. Moore, 430 Palisade avenue; John Bryson, corner Beacon and Central avenues; August Felger, Bleecker street near Terrace avenue; M. Ubring, Newark avenue near Frazier Place; J. G. Bauer, cor. Newark ave and Frazier Place; Henry De Witt, 932 Summit avenue; D. Mahlenbrock, corner Central and Manhattan avenues; John Wagner, Summit near Nelson avenues; John Kraemer, Manhattan near Sherman avenue; Louis Wicht, Montrose near Manhattan avenue; William Sheehan, corner Newark avenue and Ferris street; John Leitz, 145 Beacon avenue; Wm. Robinson,

Beacon near Palisade avenue; Patrick Reilly, St. Pauls near Central avenues.

Resolved, That licenses be granted to the following named to keep restaurants at the following named places in the Fifth District:

James Ray, 632½ Communipaw avenue: John E. Donelly, Oakland near Newark avenue; Alexander Pairson, 531 Newark avenue; Thomas Boothroyd, cor. Summit ave and Rock street; James McDonald, 153 Hoboken avenue; Theodore Jergens, Bergen, opposite Storms avenue: Frederick Smith, corner Monticello and Belmont aves; Geo. Watson, Monticello near Harrison ave; Shields & Co., Communipaw, near Summit avenue; Adam Warner, 11 Hoboken avenue; Wm. Broeser 512 Newark avenue; Catharine M. Hopken, Bergen, near Fairview avenue; Ferdinand Heintze, 597 Newark avenue.

Resolved, That licenses be granted to the following named to keep restaurants at the following named places in the Sixth District:

Adam Lincks, 197 Railroad avenue; Nicholas Knoegy, Factory lane; John Rub, 227 Railroad avenue; Johann Mack, 229 Railroad avenue; John Bubser, Waverly, near Bergen avenue; Nicholas Arnold, corner Fulton and Bergen avenues; John C. Bockert, Greenville Grove; George Broughton, 16 Colden street; John D. Heins, Garden, near Rose avenue; Elizabeth Grinn, Garden, near Rose avenue; Joseph Kaiser, Waverly, near Bergen avenue; Nicholas Jantzen, corner Bergen and Greenville avenues; Jacob Zimmerlee, 207 Railroad avenue; Israel Oliver, Ocean near Britton avenues; Hermann Rurade, corner Fulton avenue and Essex street; Wilhelm Walter, Grand street, near Pacific avenue; Anton Sale, Jackson Lane; George Hashargen, corner Myrtle avenue and Vreeland street; David E. Bonnell, foot of Danforth avenue; Valentine Puster, 221 Railroad ave; John Senroll, Rose avenue; G. H. Seigenthaler, cor. Railroad and Jersey avenues; John Prout, cor. Old Bergen road and Chestnut avenue; A Zeugner, corner Old Bergen road and Danforth avenue; Chas. E. Loeffler, Bramhall, opp. Madison avenu; James Gathercole, 241 Grand street; John Brown, Yale, near Westside avenue; Frederick Softye, 19 Jersey avenue; Dennis O'Halloran, corner Ocean and Seaview avenues.

The resolutions were severally adopted by the following vote, the yeas and nays having been ordered and taken:

Yeas—All the members present—eleven (11) in number.

The Committee on Trade Licenses reported the following resolutions on applications heretofore referred.

The reports were received and the resolutions disposed of as follows:

Resolved, That a license as a city auctioneer be issued by the Mayor and City Clerk, under the corporate seal of the city, to Eugene Woolsey, on his paying the license fees and giving the bond required by law.

Resolved, That licenses to vend meat, fish, fruit and vegetables from a wagon, cart or other venicle, be issued by the Mayor and City Clerk, under the corporate seal of the city, to the following named on their paying the license fees:

Jacob Cimner, Thomas Hughes, Thomas Kingdom, William Dawson, Jacob Bermerly, Patrick Patterton, Patrick Mulvey, John Fahey, James Gallagher, John Lynch, John Lynch, James Ryan, David Perry, Marks Bampee, William Madden, John O'Neill, Jacob Wirtz, Jacob Wirtz, Robert Hartley, Thomas Harrington, John Glenn, Cornellus Clayton, Moses King, William Skeens, Philip Groz, Thomas McGraw, John Hafner, John Connell, Philip Kern, August Christman, August Christman, Joseph Ward, John Foster, James O'Hara, Thomas Hannon, William Carroll, James Coddell, Joseph Ehrhandt, John Burns, William Campbell, William Mailly, James Tully, James Tully, Sarah Goldstein, M. Mannion, Hubert Esser, John Conklin, and John Conklin.

Resolved, That licenses to vend kindling wood from a wagon, cart or other vehicle, in Jersey City, be issued by the Mayor and City Clerk, under the corporate seal of the city, to John Foster and James Lyng on their paying the license fees.

Resolved, That a license to vend cigars and tobacco from a wagon, cart or other vehicle, in Jersey City, be issued by the Mayor and City Clerk, under the corporate seal of the city, to Henry Tietjen on his paying the license fees.

Resolved, That licenses to vend any other merchandise than and excepting meat, fish, fruit, vegetables, kindling wood, cigars and tobacco, from a wagon, cart or other vehicle, be issued by the Mayor and City Clerk, under the corporate seal of the city, to the following named on their paying the license fees:

John McLaughlin, Thomas Welsh, Bernard Levi, Matthew Quinn, James Clark, Martin Frank, Joseph Gavenisch, Philip Klein and James Fitzpatrick.

Resolved, That licenses as public porters be issued by the Mayor and City Clerk, under the corporate seal of the city, to the following named on their paying the license fees:

James Dorrington, John H. Lammiers, Wm. E Gerdts and Morgan Shea.

Resolved, That licenses to keep junk shops at the following named places in Jersey City be issued by the Mayor and City Clerk, under the corporate seal of the city, to the following named on their paying the license fees:

First District—Hugh Dunn, 13 Railroad avenue; Philip White, 19 Essex street.

Second District—Christopher Lynch, 422 Second street; James Smith, 48 Bay street; Henry McArdle, 48 Bay street; Henry McArdle, 48 Bay street; George Griffiths, 75 Brunswick street; Patrick McArdle, 48 Bay street; Ernest Crome, 576 Grove street; James Collins, corner of Fifth and Brunswick streets; James Collins, corner of Fifth and Brunswick streets.

Third District—Edward McEvoy, 381 Henderson street.

Fourth District—Patrick Shea, 119 Thorne street; James Tully, Beacon, near Oakland avenue; M. O'Callaghan, 103 Central avenue; James O'Callaghan, 103 Central avenue; James Kane, Waverly, near Central avenue; Cornelius Sullivan, 146 Beacon avenue.

Fifth District—Lewis Hesler, 541 Newark avenue.

The resolutions were severally adopted.

The Committee on Public Grounds and Buildings presented a report setting forth that because of complaint made after last rain storm they caused drains in a portion of Washington Square to be repaired, &c., and submitting the following resolution.

Resolved, That the Committee on Public Grounds and Buildings are hereby authorized to cause the drains leading from the four quarters of Washington Square to be repaired at a cost not to exceed one hundred and fifty dollars, including the work already done, and that the action of said committee, in causing the drains in two of the four portions of said square to be repaired is hereby approved by this Board.

The report was received and the resolution adopted.

AUDITING OF CLAIMS BY RESOLUTION.

The following resolutions were reported by committees in payment of claims heretofore referred:

By Committee on Alms:

Resolved, that the sum of $35.75 be paid to John Headden, Jr., for coal for out door poor.

Resolved, That the sum of $242.50 be paid to the Jersey City and Harsimus Cemetery for interments for out door poor from July 3, 1873 to June 13, 1875.

Resolved, That the sum of $54.30 be paid to John W. Johnson for meat for out door poor from June 4th to July 1st, 1875.

By Committee on Printing, Stationery and Supplies:

Resolved, That the sum of $203.40 be paid to the Argus for printing and advertising.

Resolved That the sum of $108.80 be paid to McEvoy Bros., for stationery furnished to City Marshal.

Resolved, That the sum of $61.13 be paid to Tebbenhoff Bros., for supplies for public bath (towels, soap, &c.)

Resolved, That the sum of $23.50 be paid to Henry Thompson for matting, &c., for city hall.

By Committee on Public Grounds and Buildings:

Resolved, That the sum of $239 02 be paid to to Wm. B. McDonald & Son for labor and materials, repairing fence at Hamilton Square.

The resolutions were adopted.

The following resolutions were reported by committees in payment of claims presented at this meeting:

By Committee on Alms:

Resolved, That the sum of $4.80 be paid to John Geyer, for meat for out-door poor from April 16 to June 6, 1875.

By Committee on Bands and Armories:

Resolved, That the sum of $190.83 be paid to N. B. Shafer for rent of armory for June.

By Committee on Public Grounds and Buildings:

Resolved, That the sum of $48 be paid to John Higgins for services as keeper of Hamilton Park, for June, 1875.

Resolved, That the sum of $48 be paid to Michael Kerrigan for services as keeper of Hamilton Park for June, 1875.

The resolutions were adopted.

MISCELLANEOUS BUSINESS.

The following resolution was offered by Alderman Soule, and adopted:

Resolved, That warrants be drawn on the City Treasurer in favor of the following named, for payment of salaries for July, when due:

John E. Scott, City Clerk	$250.00
George Deegan, Marshal	83.33
John E. Hewitt, Overseer of the Poor	83.33

The following entitled ordinance was presented by Alderman Van Cleef, and the same was received, laid upon the table and ordered to be printed on slips for the use of the Board, viz:

"A supplement to an Ordinance, entitled "An Ordinance to regulate the sale of meat, fish, fruit and vegetables, or kindling wood, or cigars, and tobacco, or any other merchandise from wagons and other vehicles in Jersey City."

The following resolution was offered by Alderman Wood and adopted:

Resolved, That the Street Commissioner is hereby requested to notify the North Hudson Railway Company to remove all railroad tracks belonging to, and not now used by said Company in Oakland ave. between Hoboken ave. and Prospect st. and in Prospect st. between Oakland ave. and Webster ave, and in Webster ave. between Prospect street and Franklin street, within ten days from the date of said notice, and if said removal be not then made, that said officer is hereby authorized to cause the removal of said rails to some safe place and report the facts to this Board for further action.

The following resolution was offered by Alderman Van Cleef and adopted:

Resolved, That permission be granted to the Orion Rowing Association to build a suitable boat house or float at the foot of Broadway, on the Hackensack river.

The following entitled ordinances were presented by Alderman Wood and the same were received, laid upon the table and ordered to be printed on slips for the use of the Board, viz.:

An ordinance amendatory to the ordinance entitled "an ordinance concerning hack drivers, omnibus drivers and porters," passed June 6, 1871.

"An ordinance amendatory of an ordinance in relation to dead animals, approved July 14, 1858, and re-enacted and amended by ordinance approved August 18, 1871.

Alderman Van Cleef moved;

"That the Board do now adjourn."

The motion was rejected by the following votes, the yeas and nays having been ordered and taken on the call of the President pro tempore.

Yeas—Alderman Helms, Kase, Meyer and Van Cleef.

Nays—Alderman Brown, McLaughlin, Powell Smith, Soule, White and Wood.

On motion of Alderman McLaughlin; the following entitled ordinance presented May 25, 1875, was taken from the table for consideration viz:

"An ordinance to authorize the North Hudson County Railway Company to lay a double track of iron rails in Grove street from Newark avenue to the northerly limits of Jersey City, in the place of the single track and turnouts now in said part of said street.

The title was read.

Alderman McLaughlin moved to amend the title by substituting the word "single" for the word "double."

The motion was declared lost.

Alderman McLaughlin appealed from the decision of the chair.

The decision of the chair, on motion of Alderman Van Cleef, was sustained by the following vote, the yeas and nays having been ordered and taken on the call of the President pro tempore:

Yeas—All the members present, ten (10) in number, exclusive of the chair.

The first section was read.

Alderman Van Cleef moved, That the ordinance be laid upon the table.

Alderman McLaughlin moved as an amendment, That the ordinance be put upon its final passage.

The amendment was adopted by the following vote, the yeas and nays having been ordered and taken on the call of the President pro tempore:

Yeas—Aldermen Brown, McLaughlin, Smith, Soule, White and Wood.

Nays—Aldermen Helms, Kase, Meyer, Powell and Van Cleef.

The motion as amended was then rejected by the following vote the yeas and nays having been ordered and taken on the call of the President pro tempore:

Yeas—Aldermen Helms, Kase, Meyer, Powell and Van Cleef.

Nays—Aldermen Brown, McLaughlin, Smith, Soule, White and Wood.

Alderman Kase moved, "That the ordinance be adopted as printed."

The motion was rejected by the following vote, the yeas and nays having been ordered and taken:

Yeas—Aldermen Kase and Powell.

Nays—Aldermen Brown, Helms, McLaughlin, Meyer, Smith, Soule, Van Cleef, White and Wood.

Alderman Van Cleef moved, "That the vote be reconsidered for the purpose of laying the ordinance on the the table."

The motion was rejected by the following vote, the yeas and nays having been ordered and taken:

Yeas—Aldermen Kase, Meyer, Powell, and Van Cleef.

Nays—Aldermen Brown, Helms, McLaughlin, Smith, Soule, White and Wood.

Alderman Van Cleef moved, "That the Board do now adjourn."

The motion was rejected by the following vote, the yeas and nays having been ordered and taken on the call of the President pro tempore.

Yeas—Aldermen Helms, Kase, Meyer and Van Cleef.

Nays—Aldermen Brown, McLaughlin, Powell, Smith, Soule, White and Wood.

On motion of Alderman McLaughlin the Board proceeded to the appointment of Weighers and Measurers.

On motion of Alderman Kase the Board took a recess for five (5) minutes.

(During the recess Alderman Meyer retired).

On re-assembling nominations were made by Alderman McLaughlin of the several parties hereinafter named:

On motion of Alderman Kase, it was ordered that nominations from the Fifth District be laid over until next meeting.

A balloting was then had which resulted as follows:

Aldermen Kase and White acted as tellers:

Henry Steele, Henry H. Cubberly, Martin Rouse, Charles Rosenthal, James Clark, Richard McAghon, Patrick Dixon, James O'Reilly, John Maloney, Michael Feenan, Michael Nugent, William D. Smith, Charles Keenan, Henry Borscher, Michael Nolan and John Scanlon, received ten (10) votes each, and were declared appointed "City Weighers and Measurers, of Jersey City," having each received the requisite number of votes.

On motion of Alderman Smith the Board then adjourned.

JOHN E. SCOTT,
City Clerk.

Regular meeting at the Aldermanic Chamber City Hall, Tuesday, Aug. 3, 1875, at 7:30 o'clock P. M.

Present—President Harrison and Aldermen Brown, Helms, McLaughlin, Meyer, Powell, Van Cleef, White and Wood.

Alderman Kase, was absent at the calling of the roll, but subsequently appeared and took his seat.

Absent—Aldermen Smith and Soule.

The minutes of the regular meeting of July 20, 1875, were approved as printed in manual form on motion of Alderman Powell.

PRESENTATION OF PETITIONS, ETC.

Petitions, etc., were presented, received and disposed of as follows:

Petition of the Jersey City Schutzen Park Company, by B. Lippmann, Secretary, for permission to shoot and practice with fire arms at their Park on Bergen avenue, Greenville District.

Granted on motion of Alderman Van Cleef.

Petition of James M. Savage and others for the passage of an ordinance prohibiting the erection of any permanent or temporary receiving vault in Jersey City.

Referred to Committee on Laws and Ordinances.

Petition of John E an and others for the removal of Michael Donovan from the office of poundmaster and appointment of Robert Harriott in his stead.

Referred to Committee on Laws and Ordinances.

Communication from Albert S. Cloke, attorney for Philip Becker, giving notice of the settlement of the west wall of the City Hall, adjoining Mr. Becker's building.

Alderman McLaughlin moved that the communication be referred to the Corporation Counsel.

Alderman Van Cleef moved as an amendment That the communication be referred to the Committee on Laws and Ordinances.

The motion to amend was adopted by the following vote, the yeas and nays having been ordered and taken on the call of the President:

Yeas—President Harrison, and Aldermen Brown, Helms, Meyer, Powell, Van Cleef and White.

Nays—Aldermen McLaughlin and Wood.

Petition of T. H Spivey and others for removal of public pound from Jefferson avenue.

Referred to Committee on Laws and Ordinances.

Petition of John M. Hughes for permisson to move the house 343 8th street to the corner of Brunswick and 9th streets.

Referred to Committee on Streets.

Petition of Jonn Alexander for permi sion to erect an awning in front of his premises 48 Laidlaw avenue.

Granted on motion of Alderman Helms.

Petition of James Hetherington for permission to erect an awning in front of his premises corner of Grand and State streets.

Referred to Committee on S reets.

For signs over side walks:

Tobias Martini, 1026 Summit avenue.

Granted on motion of Alderman Van Cleef.

Lawrence Welsh, east side of Cambridge avenue, 175 feet north of Congress street.

H. Ziegler, Franklin street, between Palisade and Ogden avenues.

Granted on motion of Alderman Powell.

E. C. Bramnall, No. 7 west Grand street, occupied by Wm. Walters

Granted on motion of Alderman Helms.

A. J. Hall, tenant; M. H. Dohan owner, 110 Sussex street.

Referred to Committee on Streets.

For restaurant licenses:

First District—John J. Morris, 117 Newark avenue; F. B. Rocke, 42 Sussex street; Robert Speer, 141 Montgomery street; Henry Meyer, junction York and Gregory streets; John T. Dunn, 144 Montgomery street; Michael Larkin, 42 Morris street; Thomas Donnelly, 17 Sussex street.

Second District—John Marshall, 289 Newark avenue; Patrick McPhillips, cor. Thirteenth and Erie streets; Thomas McGrath, 144 Ninth street; Margaret Carley, 152 Morgan street; Bridget Roundtree, 451 First street; John Harper, 382 Henderson street; Michael Connolly, 330 Third street; C. Kunecke. cor. Erie and Seventh streets; Andrew Downey, 257 Henderson street; Gustav Raisch, 469 Grove street; Thomas Quinn, 228 Erie street; Catherine O'Berne, 206 Henderson street; Eliza Rountree, 384 Newark avenue; Wm. Culligan, 249 Thirteenth street; Martin Borkin, 534 Henderson street; Michael Voller, 236 Henderson street; Joseph Gertler, 375 Third street; James O'Reilly, 128 Pavonia avenue; James Flanagan, 1 Hamilton Terrace; Elizabeth McLaughlin, 1 4 Sixth street.

Third District—John Rugge, 345 5th st.; Michael B. Holmes, 333 1st st.; John Harper. 305 Henderson st.; J. G. Kahl, 64 Railroad ave.; Anton Huber, 354 7th st; John Stierle, 340 3d st.; D. Winkelman, 70 Brunswick st; Lewis Johnson & Son, 332 Grove st; Harry Carsten, 336 Grove st.; John Biscnoff, 277 6th st.; H. W. Harms, 208 7th street.

Fourth District—C. Finck. cor. New York ave. and Griffith st.; H Bennk n, cor. Sherman ave. and Franklin st.; James Flanigan, cor. Beacon and Bonner aves.; Patrick Long, 231 Central ave; Christian A. Schmidt. cor. New York ave. and Hutton st.; August Kost, 91 Central ave.; Bernhardt Faerber, 104 Zaoriskie st.; John Golden, Elm st. near Nelson ave.; J hn M. Kline, cor. Summit and Beacon aves.; Thomas Burke, Beacon near Summit ave.; Andrew Mannion, Newark near Nelson ave.; John Kratzner, 23 Manhattan ave; J. C. Wittpenn, cor. Hutton st. and Cambridge ave.; Michael McDonough, 81 Beacon ave; Fred Waltke, 229 South st; William Moye, Thorne st. near Summit ave.; Philip Kerr, 40 Manhattan ave.; H. Bahr, cor. Summit ave. and Poplar st.; John E. Otis, Central near Jefferson ave; John Bosch, cor. Hancock ave. and Congress st.; Patrick Kelly, 58 Laidlaw ave; Daniel Klemert, 99 Beacon ave.; Adolph E. Brehm, 586 Central ave.; George Schultz, Sherman ave. near Griffith st.; Mrs. Gottlieb Roehrich, 5 2 Paterson plankroad; C. P. Erhard, 171 South st.; Thomas Greis, 690 Summit ave; D. Langerwisch, New York ave. near Franklin st.; Frank Flood, cor. Beacon and Summit ave.; Ernest C. Muller, 445 Palisade ave.; Edward Ritz, Palisade ave. near Franklin st.

Fifth District—Thomas McNamara, 52 Hoboken avenue; John Smith, corner Bergen avenue and Montgomery street; August Henning, Hoboken, opposite Central avenue.

Sixth District—Joseph Lewis, old Bergen Road, near Pamrapo avenue; Jeremiah Riley; old Bergen road, near Pamrapo avenue; Chas. Stoveken, corner Linden and Bergen avenues; Michael Morris, corner Johnston and Pacific avenues; Frederick Thau, Waverly, near Bergen avenue; Paul Heller, 380 Montgomery street; J. J. Wittpenn, corner Lafayette and Pine streets; John Mannix, corner Johnston avenue and Hallanay street; Wm. Darsley, Bergen Point Plank Road, near Bramhall avenue.

Referred to Committee on Liquor Licenses.

For Trade Licenses:

Auctioneer, Lewis E. Wood.

To vend meat, fish, fruit and vegetables:

Henry Hamilton, James E. Cullen, Chas. Muller, W. H, Harriott, Robert Mitchell, John McCune, Wm. Galvorn, Timothy Buttmore. Henry Burns, A. Kieserwetter, Jr., Wm. J. McKenney, Wm. Burke, Lewis Kirchner and Martin Sweeney.

To keep Junk Shops:

Michael Murphy, 234 Railroad avenue, Third District, and Patrick Lynch, Meadow near Charlotte street, Fourth District

Kindling Wood: Michael Carr;

Public porter, William Utz.

Merchandise, M. Greenback, Solomon Azamon, Thomas Kearris and Theodore Georgens.

Referred to Committee on Trade Licenses.

For transfer of trade licenses to vend meat, fish, etc.—Jacob Cimmer to Henry Dahlman, Joseph Hurley to Dennis Hurley, John Conklin to A. B. Longo. Junk shop, 197 Provost street, Second district, James Fitzpatrick to Matthew Handley.

Referred to Committee on Trade Licenses.

PRESENTATION OF CLAIMS.

Claims were presented, received, and disposed of as follows:

Of J. G. & I. Edge, $1,500; John C. Clark, $440 and William Sanderson, $90.

Referred to Special Committee on Celebration of Fourth of July.

Of Garret Haley, $96.60; L. Munkle, $150.94; Fred. Schober, $193 50.

Referred to Committtee on Alms.

Of Bergen Library Association, $100; N. B. Shafer, $190.84.

Referred to Committee on Baths and Armories.

Of Michael Donovan, $112; Edward Reilly, $37.50, and $23.50.

Referred to Committee on Finance

Of the Argus, $187.30; Peter Dalton, Jr., $1.50; McAvoy Bros., $59 45; Tebbenhoff Bros., $39.35.

Referred to Committee on Printing, Stationery and Supplies.

Of John Fitzpatrick, $48; Frederick Haag., $36; John Higgins, $48; Michael Kerrigan, $48; G. B. Lockwood, $150; Benjamin Manning, $80 and $20; Thomas McCullough $48, and Michael Twomey, $48.

Referred to Committee on Public Grounds and Buildings.

OFFICERS' COMMUNICATIONS.

A concurrent resolution adopted by the Board of Public Works, July 20, 1875, that in the opinion of said Board it would be just that the expense of the filling necessary to be done in the reconstruction of Varick street, from Wayne to Grand street be borne by the city at large and paid by general tax was presented, received, and on motion of Alderman Van Cleef the resolution was concurred in.

A communication from the Board of Fire Commissioners requesting information whether the resolution adopted by the Board of Aldermen, July 6, 1875, gave Patrick Dowling permission to remove a frame building from 112 Steuben street or to occupy the streets for that purpose was presented, received, and on motion of Alderman Van Cleef referred to the Committee on Streets to give the desired information.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

The Committee on Liquor Licenses reported the following resolutions on applications heretofore referred.

The reports were received and the resolutions disposed of as follows:

Resolved, That licenses be granted to the following named to keep restaurants at the following named places in the First district:

Patrick McLoughlin, 111 Morris street; Michael Doyle, 45 York street; Michael Doyle, 48 Hudson street; Patrick Calahan, 39 Morris street; Alfred Cox, 113 Washington street; John Harden, 215 Van Vorst street; Edward Braden, 222 Grand street; Matthew Farrell, 130 Hudson street; T. J. Turley, 87 Hudson street; James Weober, 114 Washington street; Reilly & Co., Pennsylvania R. R. Depot; C. Birdsall, 216 Barrow street; John Flavel, 53 P. R. R. avenue; Francis Roland, 41 Greene street; Michael Mone, 190 Montgomery stree; Thomas Gross, corner Grand and Hudson streets; Frank Wahlen, 142 Morris street; Louis Heller, 109 Montgomery street; John Sauer, 202 Grove street; Michael Kilroy, 33½ Greene street; Mrs. P. Dowling, 5 R. R. avenue; C. Wilbrand, 92 Dudley street; Edward McGinniss, 161 Newark avenue; Mrs. Sophia Zschau, 147 Newark avenue; D. Muller & Sons, 15 Montgomery street.

Resolved, That licenses be granted to the following named to keep restaurants at the following places in the Second District:

John Costigan, 374 2d street; Michael McGinniss, 411 1st street; Mary Masterson, 29 1st st.; Leonard Niekerman, 259 Coles st; Deidrich Muller, 50 Pavonia avenue; M. Kilduff, corner White street and Fairmount avenue; Jacob Stumpf, 270 Railroad avenue; Hulet Seyboldt, 123 Pavonia avenue; John Miller, 364 1st street; M. McGrath, 207 Greene street; John Casey, 485 Grove street; John Harms, 384 7th street; Edward Barry, 431 Newark avenue; Patrick Noonan, Grand street, opposite Woodward street; Charles Fields, 203 Warren street; James Grimes, 232 Wayne street; Gilbert Gannon, 235 Wayne street; Fritz Frey, 140 Steuben street; Michael O'Keefe, 129 Morgan street; Edward May, 371 3d street; John Howe, 226 Wayne street; C. W. Gilbert, 171 10th street; Thomas Sheehan, cor. Fairmount ave and Whyte street; Wm. E. Gerdts, 130 Pavonia avenue; Thomas Hickey, 197 Greene street; James Smith, 224 Henderson street; Mrs. J. McCarthy, 54 1st street; John O'Keefe, 258 Mercer street; Peter O'Connor, 178 Mercer street; John Curtis, 334 Jersey avenue; F. A. Seitz, 233 9th street; Philip Reilly, 426 1st street; John Kaiser, Bergen Point plank road, near Grand street; Edward McGinness, 127 Pavonia avenue; Jno. O'Rourke, 9 Ivy Place.

Resolved, That licenses be granted to the following named persons to keep restaurants at the following named places in the Second District:

Patrick Maloney, 111 Morgan street; Michael Rachford, 556 Henderson street; Michael Desmond, 429 Henderson street.

Resolved, That licenses be granted to the following named to keep restaurants at the following named places in the Second District.

Bridget Murphy, 137 9th street; Daniel Looney, 418 Henderson street.

Resolved. That licenses be granted to the following named to keep restaurants at the following named places in the Third District:

John Hurson, 316 Third street; George Miller, 275 Grove street, Frank Glaser, 284 1st street; Jacob Frisch, 288 1st street; Margaret Falls, 318 1st street; Charles King, 308 Newark avenue; Charles King, 319 1st street; Mary Bruhne, 255 1st street; Rudolph Sailer, 248 Newark avenue; Jno. Jennings, 276 Monmouth street; Jacob Guterl, 253 Newark avenue; Bernard McCarty, corner Coles and 1st streets; Behrens Bros., 313 3d stree; Herrman Behrens, 344 Coles street; J. H. Prillwitz, 235 Newark avenue; W. H. Brommer & Sons, 186 Newark avenue; Jno. McGovern, 244 Newark avenue; Patrick Toner, 365 Henderson street.

Resolved, That licenses be granted to the following named to keep restaurants at the following named places in the Fourth District:

John Ohle, corner New York avenue and Franklin street; Franz Blatz, New York ave. near Franklin st; Barnwell Sweetingham, Thorne street, near Summit avenue Henry Goedecker, corner Pearce avenue and Paterson street; Edward Henn, Newark avenue, near Porter street; Jacob Schober, corner Newark and Germania avenues; Wm. Dietrich, 27 Bleecker street; Heinrich Rink, 33 Congress street; Patrick McDonough, 402 Palisade avenue; Fred Schussler, 299 Central avenue; Matthias Henn, 95 Sherman avenue; August Mast, corner Franklin street and Cambridge avenue; G. B. Dean, 165 Hutton street; Stephen Barry, Summit avenue, near Jay street; John Rooney, 97 Jefferson avenue; Henry Kreinamy, Germania avenue, near Bleecker street; J. H. Fechtermoller, Paterson street; Patrick Geron, corner Germania avenue and Spruce street; Marcus Hencke, corner Durham avenue and Bleecker street; John Tietjen, corner Lincoln street and Milton avenue; G. W. Higenranch, cor. Cambridge ave. and Bowers st.; Peter Schroeder, corner Summit ave. and Charles st.; August Stephen, Griffith st., near Central ave.; Patrick Foley, Summit ave., near Five Corners; William Schommer, 128 Beacon ave.; Joseph Strenkert, 26 Beacon ave.; Henry Nuhn, cor. Summit ave. and Grace st.; John C. Batjer, cor. Ferry st. and Webster ave.; Wm. Campbell,, 46 Laidlaw ave.; Patrick Bonner, Newark near Tonnele ave.; Thomas Ratigan, 61 Beacon ave.; John Baumgartner, Tonnele ave. near North st.; Phillip Hilger, Bonner near Beacon ave.; Michael Kelly, Summit ave. near Jay st.; Frank Kohlhund, Newark ave. near James st.; John C. Weiss, cor. Hutton st. and Cambridge ave.; John Benning, 157 Oakland ave.; Sylvester Byrne, cor. Central ave. and Hutton st.; Lewis Kersten, Griffith st., near Nelson ave.; Claus Meyer, cor. Summit ave. and Congress st.; Edward Wrede, 94 Webster ave.; Mrs M. Martini, cor. Summit ave. and Thorne st.; Leopold Haungs, Leonard st. near Summit ave.; John Haughy, 45 Congress st.; Mrs. C. Meyer, corner Jefferson and Oakland aves. John Rooney, cor. Summit ave. and Jay st.; Fritz Berger, Newark opp. Germania ave.; John Budesbecker, St. Pauls near Westside ave. Wm. Madden, 136 St. Pauls ave.

Resolved, That licenses be granted to the following named to keep restaurants in the Fifth District—John Sanders, corner of Bostwick place and

Montgomery street; John Eaves, 621 Newark avenue; Frederick Ruempler, 68 Hoboken avenue; Marion Building Company, St. James Hotel, Marion, N. J.; J. Adam Scherer, 115 Hoboken avenue; George Lursch, Newark Plank Road; Robert Blewitt, Communipaw avenue near Bergen avenue; John McCarty, 530 Newark avenue; Hugh Flynn, Tuers avenue near Church street; Patrick Collins, corner Orchard and Crawford streets; Adolph Laine, 395 Palisade avenue; Theodore Lemmerz, 642 Newark avenue; F. Mahnken, Communipaw opposite Jackson avenue.

Resolved, That licenses be granted to the following named to keep restaurants at the following named places in the Sixth District—James Harrison, Newark Plank Road near Bridge; Valentine Bauer, Greenville avenue near Bergen Road; Sebastian Goehner, Bergen near Erie avenue; Jacob Kortkamp, corner Old Bergen Road and Seaview avenue; Patrick Anglesey, 301 Grand street; Patrick McCabe, Pamrapo avenue near Old Bergen Road; David Mitchell, Kearney near Jackson avenue; Patrick Sheehawn, Kearney near Ocean avenue; Joseph Casper, Forrest street near Ocean avenue; John Dolan, 243 Wayne street, Patrick Clarke, Halliday street near N. & N. Y. R. R.; Henry Fisher, corner Communipaw avenue and Barrow street; Christian Hopmann, corner Woodlawn and Bergen avenue; Coney Gamacher, 357 Grand street; Frederick Gail, corner Chestnut and Rose avenues; Patrick Kelly, Communipaw avenue near Westside avenue; Richard Farrell, Ocean near Myrtle avenue; Michael Fay, Kearny avenue near Rose st.; Farey Grady, Greenville ave. near Merseles avenue; John Schmidt, Bergen near Walker avenue; Wm. Baker, Bostwick near Ocean avenue; Fred. Denhardt, Pamrapo avenue near Old Bergen Road; C. F. Meyer, corner Communipaw avenue and Sackett street.

The resolutions were adopted by the following vote, the yeas and nays having been ordered and taken:

Yeas—All the members present, nine (9) in number.

The Committee on Trade Licenses reported the following resolutions on applications heretofore referred.

The reports were received and the resolutions disposed of as follows:

Resolved, That licenses to vend meat, fish, fruit and vegetables from a wagon, cart or other venicle, be issued by the Mayor and City Clerk, under the corporate seal of the city, to the following named on their paying the license fees:

A. Hearson, William Dietrich, Frederick Thau, John Neville, John Briody, Saml. Meek, Wm. Mittenzwei, K. Coppinger, Jacob Christman, Michael Hagen, Michael Hennessy, Joseph Hurley, John Garry, Henry Zimmer, Henry Zimmer, Elizabeth Fick, Louis Shunk, George Fick, Anton Fehring, Thomas Holden, George Cunningham, James Hunt, Patrick Higgins, George Fick, Charles Fields, James Marshall, John Doran, John Crosby, Geo. Blakey, Wm. Baker, John Lumm, Martin Gibbons, John Monahan, Moses Boyce Louis Shunk, Edward F. Creech, Michael McCormack, Michael Coyne, Dennis Murphy, Thomas Masterson, Peter Hermann, Spencer Babcock, Isaac Clyde, Patrick Quinn, Pat McGovern, Henry Fice, Edward Gilliland, Michael Curran, Jas. Jackson, Henry Geaver and Michael Kilroy.

Resolved, That licenses to vend kindling wood from a wagon, cart, or other vehicle in Jersey City, be issued by the Mayor and City Clerk, under the corporate seal of the city, to James Gough and John Carr on their paying the license fees.

Resolved that licenses to vend any other merchandise (than and excepting meat, fish, fruit, vegetables, kindling wood, cigars and tobacco) from a wagon, cart, or other vehicle, in Jersey City, be issued by the Mayor and City Clerk, under the corporate seal of the city, to the following named on their paying the license fees:

A. Schuppan, A. Schuppan, Horace Green, Michael Carter, C. Schanewede, Matthew Sullivan, Valentine Klein, Wm. G. Ferguson, Arras Green, John Oxley, George Kreh, Max Cohen, George Mutchler, H. Sutherland and Frederick Flannagan.

Resolved, That a license as a city auctioneer, be issued by the Mayor and City Clerk, under the corporate seal of the city, to Joseph Warren, on his paying the license fees and giving the bond required by law.

Resolved, That a license as a public porter be issued by the Mayor and City Clerk, under the corporate seal of the city to Andrew Kerr, on his paying the license fees.

Resolved, That licenses to keep junk shops at the following named places, in Jersey City, be issued by the Mayor and City Clerk, under the corporate seal of the city, to the following named, on their paying the license fees:

Jas Fitzgerald, 223 Henderson st., 1st dist.; Jas. Collins, cor. Brunswick and 5th sts., 2d dist.; Jas. Devlin, 253 Henderson st., 3d dist; Stephen Reilly, Hopkins near Central ave., 4th dist.; Thomas Lynch, Charlotte st. near St. Pauls ave., 4th dist.; George Hausche, 83 Beacon ave., 4th dist.; Edward McCluskey, 136 Central ave., 4th dist; Michael Keenan, Grace st. near Central ave., 4th dist.; Wm. Hallisey, Laidlaw near Summit ave., 4th dist; Thomas Kenny, Terry alley, 4th dist.; F. W. Zelker, 129 Laidlaw ave., 4th dist.; H. Sutherland, Cartaret ave. near Bergen Point plankroad, 6th dist.

Resolved, That the following trade licenses be transferred, To vend meat, fish, fruit and vegetables:

Michael Hennessey to Robert Gilliland, August Coristman to Henry Deubert, Joseph Ehrhardt to John Ehrhardt, Henry Zimmer to Martin Hines, John Lynch to Nicholas Farrell, Geo. Fick to Frank Nelson.

To vend merchandise—A. Schuppan to H. Rugen.

The resolutions were severally adopted.

(Alderman Kase appeared and took his seat.)

The Committee on Streets, to whom was referred, June 1, 1875, the petition of Walter Wood for permission to erect a swing at the lower end of Communipaw avenue, &c., presented an adverse report thereon. The report was received and adopted.

On motion of Alderman Van Cleef the fourth order of business was resumed.

REPORTS OF SELECT COMMITTEES.

The Special Committee on Celebration of Fourth of July presented a report setting forth "that they advertised in the official papers for proposals to furnish fireworks in five different places, and received three bids which were considered and the work awarded to J. G. & I. Edge, their bid being most satisfactory to the Committee, &c."

The report was received and ordered filed.

AUDITING OF CLAIMS BY RESOLUTION.

The following resolutions were reported by committees in payment of claims heretofore referred:

By Committee on Baths and Armories:

Resolved, That the sum of $141.18 be paid to the Jersey City Gas Light Company for gas consumed in drill room from April 1st to July 1st, 1875.

Resolved, That a warrant be drawn on the City Treasurer in favor of Charles Scott for $12.16, for carpenter work at armory of City Guard.

By Committee on Printing, Stationery and Supplies.

Resolved, That the sum of $75 be paid to W. V. Horton for winding and repairing city clock for one year.

Resolved, That the sum of $12 be paid to Jersey City Directory Company for four copies of Directory.

Resolved, That the sum of $32 25 be paid to McAvoy Brothers for stationery furnished at public bath.

By Committee on Public Grounds and Buildings:

Resolved, That the sum of $50 be paid to Cecelia Kemp for rent of ground occupied by pound in old Jersey City from May 1st, 1874, to May 1st, 1875.

Resolved, That the sum of $34.24 be paid to Charles Scott, for carpenter work, &c., at City Hall, from April 10th to June 28th, 1875.

The resolutions were adopted.

The following resolutions were reported by

committees in payment of claims presented at this meeting:

By Special Committee on Celebration of 4th of July:

Resolved, That the sum of $1,500 be paid to J. G. & I. Edge for fireworks for celebration of 4th of July, 1875.

Resolved, That the sum of $140 be paid to J. C Clarke for furnishing music for celebration of 4th of July, 1875.

Resolved, That the sum of $60 be paid to Wm. Sanderson for erecting music stands for celebration of 4th of July, 1875.

By Committee on Baths and Armories:

Resolved, That the sum of $100 be paid to Bergen Library Association for one quarter's rent of Armory for "D" Co., to July 1, 1875.

Resolved, That the sum of $190.84 be paid to W. B. Shafer for rent of Armory for July, 1875.

By Committee on Finance:

Resolved, That a warrant be drawn on the City Treasurer in favor of Edward Reilly for $37.50 for impounding and killing 75 dogs from July 15 to 24, 1875.

Resolved, That a warrant be drawn on the City Treasurer in favor of Edward Reilly, for $25.50 for killing and removing 47 dogs from July 24 to Aug. 2, 1875.

By Committee on Printing, Stationery and Supplies:

Resolved, That the sum of $187.30 be paid to the Argus for advertising and job printing during July, 1875.

Resolved, That the sum of $1.50 be paid to Peter Dalton, Jr., for two new keys for Bath House.

Resolved, That the sum of $59.45 be paid to McAvoy Bros., for stationery furnished at City Clerk's office.

By Committee on Public Grounds and Buildings:

Resolved, That the sum of $48 be paid to John Fitzpatrick for services as keeper of Washington Square for July, 1875.

Resolved, That the sum of $36 be paid to Frederick Haag for repairs at Pound.

Resolved, That the sum of $48 be paid to John Higgins for services as keeper of Hamilton Square for July, 1875.

Resolved, That the sum of $48 be paid to Michael Kerrigan for services as keeper of Hamilton Square for July, 1875.

Resolved, That the sum of $150 be paid to George B. Lockwood for repairing sewer, &c. in Washington Square.

Resolved, That the sum of $80 be paid to Benjamin H. Manning for repairing Public Pound on 5th street.

Resolved, That the sum of $20 be paid to Benjamin H. Manning for furnishing and setting hogshead at Public Pound.

Resolved, That the sum of $48 be paid to Thomas McCullough for services as keeper of Van Vorst Square for July, 1875.

Resolved, That the sum of $48 be paid to Michael Twomy for services as keeper of Van Vorst Square for July, 1875.

The resolutions were adopted.

On motion of Alderman Brown the Board took a recess of five (5) minutes.

(During the recess Alderman Meyer retired).

On reassembling the Board proceeded to

MISCELLANEOUS BUSINESS.

On motion of Alderman White the Board proceeded to the appointment of City Weighers and Measurers.

Christopher H. Tangeman and James Brady were nominated by Alderman White.

Eugene K. Shrope was nominated by Alderman Kase.

John Haley was nominated by Alderman McLaughlin.

A balloting was had, which resulted as follows:

Aldermen White and Powell acted as tellers.

Christopher H. Tangeman received eight (8) votes.

James Brady received eight (8) votes.

Eugene K. Shrope received nine (9) votes.

John Haley received eight (8) votes.

Whereupon Christopher H. Tangeman, James Brady, Eugene K. Shrope and John Haley, having each received the requisite number of votes, were declared appointed City Weighers and Measurers.

On motion of Alderman Kase the following entitled ordinance, presented July 20, 1875, was taken from the table for consideration:

"An ordinance amendatory of an ordinance in relation to dead animals, approved July 14, 1858, and re-enacted and amended by ordinance approved August 18, 1871."

The ordinance was passed by the following vote, the yeas and nays having been ordered and taken:

Yeas—President Harrison and Aldermen Brown, Helms, Kase, McLaughlin, Powell, Van Cleef, White and Wood.

Nays—None.

The following entitled ordinance was presented by Alderman Wood, and the same was received, laid upon the table and ordered to be printed on slips for the use of the Board viz:

"A supplement to an ordinance entitled "An ordinance to prevent interments of the dead within the corporate limits of Jersey City," passed December 2, 1862, and approved December 6, 1862, and re-enacted by ordinance approved August 18, 1871.

On motion of Alderman Van Cleef the following entitled ordinance presented July 20, 1875, was taken from the table for consideration, viz:

"An ordinance concerning the manner of laying rails by Horse Railroad Companies in streets and avenues of Jersey City."

The ordinance was passed by the following vote the yeas and nays having been ordered and taken:

Yeas—President Harrison and Aldermen Brown, Helms, Kase, McLaughlin, Powell, Van Cleef, White and Wood.

Nays—None.

On motion of Alderman Van Cleef the following entitled ordinance presented July 20, 1875, was taken from the table for consideration, viz:

"A supplement to an ordinance entitled, "An ordinance to regulate the sale of meat, fish, fruit and vegetables or kindling wood, or cigars and tobacco, or any other merchandise from wagons and other vehicles in Jersey City."

Alderman McLaughlin moved to amend the first section by fixing the fee to be paid for badge for employee at one dollar, instead of five dollars, as named in the ordinance.

The amendment was adopted by the following vote, the yeas and nays having been ordered and taken on the call of the President.

Yeas—President Harrison, and Aldermen Brown, McLaughlin, Powell, White and Wood.

Nays—Aldermen Helms, Kase and Van Cleef.

The ordinance as amended was passed by the following vote, the yeas and nays having been ordered and taken.

Yeas—President Harrison, and Aldermen Brown, Helms, Kase, McLaughlin, Powell, Van Cleef, White and Wood.

Nays—None.

The following entitled ordinance was presented by Alderman White, and the same was received, laid upon the table, and ordered to be printed on slips for the use of the Board, viz.:

"An ordinance relative to applications for licenses."

The following resolution was offered by Alderman Wood, and adopted:

Resolved, That the sum of one hundred dollars be paid to John Brady, for services as keeper of public bath, for July, 1875.

On motion of Alderman Brown, the Board then adjourned.

JOHN E. SCOTT, City Clerk.

Regular meeting at the Aldermanic Chamber City Hall, Tuesday, Aug. 17, 1875, at 7:30 o'clock P M.

Present—President Harrison and Aldermen Brown, Helms, McLaughlin, Meyer, Powell, Smith, Soule, Van Cleef, White and Wood.

Absent—Aldermen Kase.

The minutes of the regular meeting of the 3d inst. were approved as printed in manual form on motion of Alderman Van Cleef.

PRESENTATION OF PETITIONS, ETC.

Petitions, etc., were presented, received and disposed of as follows:

Communication from the Board of Health and Vital Statistics of Hudson County recommending the filling of sunken lots with clean earth or ashes, and the passage of an ordinance compelling the fencing of sunken lots.

Referred to Committee on Laws and Ordinances.

Communication from Thomas H. Spivey praying for relief from annoyance to his parents who own property and reside on Jefferson avenue adjoining public ground.

Referred to Committee on Laws and Ordinances.

Petition of F G. Knapp, tenant, and Peter Bentley, owner, for permission to erect a sign of an angle shape over the entrance to office 81 Montgomery street.

Granted on motion of Alderman Smith.

Petition of F. Schirr, tenant, and Martin Feury, owner, for permission to place a sign post in front of premises 636 Newark avenue.

Granted on motion of Alderman Van Cleef.

Petition of Sylvester Byrne for permission to erect a sign over sidewalk in front of his premises on Central avenue near Hutton street.

Granted on motion of Alderman Helms.

For permits to erect awnings:

Of James Hunt in front of premises 351 Henderson street, and M. C. Brady, tenant, and H. Hamlyn, owner, in front of premises corner Lafayette and Halliday streets.

Granted on motion of Alderman White.

Of Robert Craig in front of premises 192 Montgomery street, and of R. D. Van Buskirk in front and side of premises 265 Henderson street.

Referred to Committee on Streets.

Petition of William Hayes for permission to erect a shed temporarily on the Washington street extension, immediately adjoining the water, on the Central Railroad side, for the purpose of keeping a boat house where he can let a small sail-boat, &c.

Alderman Smith moved That the prayer of the petitioner be granted.

Alderman Van Cleef moved as an amendment That the petition be referred to the Committee on Laws and Ordinances.

The amendment was rejected by the following vote, the yeas and nays having been ordered and taken on the call of the President:

Yeas — Aldermen Meyer, Powell and Van Cleef.

Nays—President Harrison, and Aldermen Brown, Helms, McLaughlin, Smith, Soule, White and Wood.

The motion was then adopted by the following vote, the yeas and nays having been ordered and taken on the call of the President:

Yeas—President Harrison, and Aldermen Brown, Helms, Smith, Soule, White and Wood.

Nays—Aldermen McLaughlin, Meyer, Powell and Van Cleef.

Petition of John Harms and others that the present poundkeeper, Michael Donovan, be retained.

Referred to Committee on Laws and Ordinances on motion of Alderman Brown.

Remonstrance of F. G. Wolbert and others, against the granting of any license to sell liquor to Patrick Gorman or other person at the Brown stone front house 81 Washington street, corner Morris street.

Referred to Committee on Liquor Licenses on motion of Alderman Wood.

For Transfer of Restaurant Licenses:

Of Thomas Foster, No. 243 to 324 Newark avenue, 2nd District.

Of Sylvester Byrne, No. 492 to Albert Konetzny.

Of Charles Brady, No. 25 to corner of Halliday and Lafayette streets, Sixth District.

Referred to Committee on Liquor Licenses.

Petition of Lyman Fisk for a license to keep an Inn and Tavern at 17, 19 and 21 Exchange Place, First District.

Referred to Committee on Liquor Licenses.

For Restaurant Licenses:

First District—John Smith, 127 Hudson street; Thomas Furey, 14 Sussex street; John Clinton, 138 Essex street; D. Stegman, 2 Exchange Place; Martin Sweeney, 34 Bright street; Martin Kinderan, 57 Sussex street; Matthew Doyle, 33 Montgomery street; H. F. Sohns, 50 Essex street.

Second District—Johanna Roach, 178 13th street; Theodore Weiss, 568 Grand street; Matthew Dixon, 325 10th street; Adam J. Kachler, 420 Grand street; Henry Hrinecke, 239 Provost street; Wm. Dorgan, 163 Morgan street; John Commerdinger, 334 1st street; P. Birmingham, 173 Monmouth street.

Third District—Anton Reutter, 180 Newark avenue; Matthew Doyle, 526 2d street.

Fourth District—Charles Bauer, Charlotte street near St Paul's avenue; Leopold Shubnell, 402 Palisade avenue; C. Helms, corner Sherman avenue and Hutton street; Martin Welsh, 841 Newark avenue; Mary L. Tiejen, 864 Central avenae; Marcus Martens, corner Central avenue and Franklin street; Clapis Prigge, 69 Hancock street; Henry Holste, 95 Central avenue; Sennez Nopp 1, 133 Beacon avenue; Patrick Sullivan, St. Paul's avenue near Bevans street; Peter Diller, corner Germania avenue and Zabriskie street; Francis C. Gillins, 111 Thorne st.; John Leyk, 219 Congress st.; Henry Stehn, cor. Liberty st. and Palisade avenue; Jacques Monnais, 38 Leonard st.; Martin Diehl, Cherry Lane, near James st.; John Scehfer, 164 Beacon ave.; W. H. Van Ojen, corner New York ave. and Hutton st.; Cord Hillerbrandt, corner Sandford Place and Hutton st.; John Breitenstein, 383 Palisade ave.

Fifth District—Mrs. B. Ford, cor. Orchard and Crawford sts.; A. Greenleaf, 47 Hoboken ave.; Conover B. Carhart, 7 Hoboken ave.

Sixth District—Henry P. Wittpenn, Halladay st. near Communipaw ave.; Christian Kaiser, corner Whiton st. and Johnston ave.; M. Schaffel, Ege near Ocean ave.

Referred to Committee on Liquor Licenses.

For Trade Licenses—

To vend meat, fish, fruit and vegetables:

Mortimir Sullivan, Mary Vivian, Otis Shafer, John Buchhammer, Jacques Monnais, Thomas Greany, Arthur McGreevy, James Keating, Edward Johnson, George Adams, Samuel Lowery: Mary Kopitsch, Jacob Stucky, Fred. Knoedel, John Sexton, Andrew Cusick, and Thomas Shortel.

To Vend Cigars and Tobacco: Gustave Kuhn.

To Vend Kindling Wood: Patrick Shea.

To Vend Merchandise: Daniel O'Mara, Harry Bartels, Michael Connaughton, and J. A. Tinker.

To keep Junk Shops:

Fourth District—James Rowan, Palisade avenue and Hutton street.

Second District— Henry McArdle, 48 Bay street.

Referred to Committee on Trade Licenses.

PRESENTATION OF CLAIMS.

Claims were presented, received, and disposed of as follows:

Of H. W. Miller, $79; John Ohle, $295.75 and $43 19.

Referred to Committee on Alms.

Of Alfred Rawlings, $3.75.

Referred to Committee on Baths and Armories.

Of Michael Donovan, $137.50; Edward Reilly, $32.50 and $54.50.

Referred to Committee on Finance.

Of Pangborn, Dunning & Dear, $96 15.

Referred to Committee on Printing, Stationery and Supplies.

Of P. H. Nugent, $270 and $180.

Referred to Committee on Public Grounds and Buildings.

OFFICERS' COMMUNICATIONS.

The following communication was presented, received, and on motion of Alderman Wood, ordered to be entered in the minutes:

Honorable Board of Aldermen:

Gentlemen—At a meeting of the Board of Finance and Taxation held July 29, 1875, the following appropriations were made to the Board

of Aldermen as the limit of expenditures for the said Board for the fiscal year beginning December 1, 1875, and ending November 30, 1876, to wit:

Support of out-door poor	$12,000
Printing, stationery and supplies	5,000
Rent of armories and supplies	4,000
Salaries of City Clerk, Marshal and Overseer of the Poor	5,000
Repairs of public buildings	250
Improvement and repair of public grounds	2,000
Public bath	1,000
Celebration of Fourth of July	3,000
Decoration Day	200
Numbering houses	1,000
Total	$33 450

Respectfully,
CORNELIUS S. SEE, Clerk.

The following communication was presented by Alderman Smith, Chairman of Committee on Alms, and the same was received and on motion of the same Alderman ordered to be entered at large on the minutes:

CORPORATION COUNSEL'S OFFICE,
Jersey City, August 16, 1875.

E. S. Smith, Esq., Chairman Committee on Alms:

DEAR SIR:—You ask for written opinion relative to appropriations and expenditures for outdoor poor, to wit:

"Whether the Board of Aldermen can lawfully make expenditures from the amount appropriated for the fiscal year commencing the first day of December next, before entering upon that fiscal year?"

To expend money now in anticipation of next year's appropriation or to incur obligations during the present fiscal year to be paid out of the appropriation of the next fiscal year, would defeat the express provision of the Charter, (See page 70, section 129) which limits the expenditure to the appropriation of each year.

The present fiscal year commenced December 1, 1874, and will end November 30, 1875. The appropriation to the Board of Aldermen for *its various purposes* during the present fiscal year, was forty thousand dollars ($40,000 00), as fixed by the Board of Finance and Taxation. "That amount, so fixed," the Legislature has enacted, "shall be the appropriation and limit of expenditure for the said purposes," and that being the limit the Board of Aldermen cannot legally expend more—the out door poor was one of said purposes.

The language of the act is plain and forcible, and there is no room for doubt as to the intention of this legislation. It fixes a *limit*, and beyond *that limit*, the Board has no power, authority or right to expend money or incur obligation.

To disregard this plain statute would be to incur the legal penalties, while the only safe and correct course is to observe the charter provision and comply *strictly* with its requirements and restrictions.

Respectfully, &c.,
WILLIAM A. LEWIS,
Corporation Counsel.

The following resolution in relation thereto was offered by Alderman Smith and adopted:

Resolved, That in view of the opinion of the Corporation Counsel, the Overseer of the Poor is hereby directed to discontinue the giving of supplies until the further order of this Board.

The City Clerk presented reports of the approval by the Mayor on the 10th inst. of the ordinance passed on the 3d inst. amendatory to ordinance in relation to dead animals; concerning manner of laying rails by horse railroad companies and supplement to ordinance to regulate the sale of meat, fish, fruit and vegetables.

The reports were received and ordered filed.

The city Clerk presented a report setting forth "That the several parties appointed July 20, 1875, as city weighers and measurers, have all qualified excepting Henry H. Cubberly, Richard McAghon, Michael Keenan, Charles Keenan and John Scanlon, the time allowed by law having expired."

The report was received and ordered filed.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

The Committee on Liquor Licenses reported the following resolutions on applications referred to said committee on the 3d inst;

The reports were received and the resolutions disposed of as follows:

Resolved, That licenses be granted to the following named to keep restaurants at the following named places in the

First District—John J. Morris, 117 Newark avenue; F. B. Rocke, 42 Sussex street; Robert Speer, 141 Montgomery street; Henry Mever, junction York and Gregory streets; John T. Dunn, 144 Montgomery stree'; Michael Larkin, 42 Morris street; Thomas Donnelly, 17 Sussex street.

Resolved, That licenses be granted to the following named to keep restaurants at the following places in the

Second District—John Marshall, 289 Newark avenue; Patrick McPhillips, cor. Thirteenth and Erie streets; Thomas McGrath, 144 Ninth street; Margaret Carley, 152 Morgan street; Bridget Roundtree, 451 First street; John Harper, 382 Henderson street; Michael Connolly, 350 Third street; C. H. Kunecke, cor. Erie and Eleventh streets; Andrew Downey, 257 Henderson street; Gustav Raisch, 469 Grove street; Thomas Quinn, 228 Erie street; Catherine O'Berne, 206 Henderson street; Eliza Rountree, 384 Newark avenue; Wm. Culligan, 241 Thirteenth street; Martin Borkin, 537 Henderson street; Michael Voller, 235 Henderson street; Joseph Gertler, 375 Third street; James O'Reilly, 128 Pavonia avenue; James Flanagan, 1 Hamilton Terrace; Elizabeth McLaughlin, 154 Sixth street.

Resolved, That licenses be granted to the following named to keep restaurants at the following named places in the

Third District—John Rugge, 345 5th st.; Michael B. Holmes, 333 1st st.; John Harper, 305 Henderson st.; J. G. Kahl, 64 Railroad ave.; Anton Hilbers, 354 7th st.; John Sturie, 340 3d st; D. Winkelman, 70 Brunswick st.; Lewis Johnson & Son, 332 Grove st.; Henry Carsten, 336 Grove st.; John Bischoff, 277 6th st.; H. W. Harms, 308 7th street.

Resolved, That licenses be granted to the following named to keep restaurants at the following named places in the

Fourth District—C. Finck, cor. New York ave. and Griffith st.; H. Behnken, cor. Sherman ave. and Franklin st.; James Flanigan, cor. Beacon and Bonner aves.; Patrick Long, 231 Central ave; Christian A. Schmidt, cor. New York ave. and Hutton st.; August Kost, 91 Central ave.; Bernhardt Faerber, 104 Zabriskie st.; John Golden, Elm st. near Nelson ave.; John M. Klink, cor. Summit and Beacon aves.; Thomas Burke, Beacon near Summit ave.; Andrew Mannion, Newark near Nelson ave.; John Kaetzner, 23 Manhattan ave; J. C. Wittpenn, cor. Hutton st. and Cambridge ave.; Michael McDonough, 81 Beacon ave; Fred Waltke, 229 South st; William Moye, Thorne st. near Summit ave.; Philip Kern, 40 Manhattan ave.; H. Bahr, cor. Summit ave. and Poplar st.; John E. Otis, Central near Jefferson ave; John Bosch, cor. Hancock ave. and Congress st.; Patrick Kelly, 38 Laidlaw ave; Daniel Klenert, 99 Beacon ave.; Adolph E. Brehm, 586 Central ave.; George Schultz, Sherman ave. near Griffith st.; Mrs. Gottlieb Roehrich, 502 Paterson plankroad; C. F. Erhard, 171 South st.; Thomas Greis, 690 Summit ave; D. Langerwisch, New York ave. near Franklin st.; Frank Flood, cor. Beacon and Summit ave.; Ernest C. Muller, 445 Palisade ave.; Edward Ritz, Palisade ave. near Franklin st.

Resolved, That licenses be granted to the following named to keep restaurants in the following named places in the

Fifth District—Thomas McNamara, 52 Hoboken avenue; John Smith, corner Bergen avenue and Montgomery street; August Henning, Hoboken, opposite Central avenue.

Resolved, That licenses be granted to the following named to keep restaurants at the following named places in the

Sixth District—Joseph Lewis, old Bergen Road, near Pamrapo avenue; Jeremiah Kiley, old Bergen road, near Pamrapo avenue; Chas. Stoveken, corner Linden and Bergen avenues; Michael Morris, corner Johnston and Pacific avenues; Frederick Thau, cor Waverly, and Bergen avenue; Paul Heller, 380 Montgomery street; J. J. Wittpenn, corner Lafayette and Pine streets; John Mannix, corner Johnston

avenue and Halladay street; Wm. Darsley, Bergen Point Plank Road, near Bramhall avenue.

The resolutions were adopted by the following vote, the yeas and nays having been ordered and taken:

Yeas—All the members present, eleven (11) in number.

The Committee on Trade Licenses reported the following resolutions on applications referred to said committee on the 3d inst.

The reports were received and the resolutions disposed of as follows:

Resolved, That a license as a city auctioneer, be issued by the Mayor and City Clerk, under the corporate seal of the city, to Lewis E. Wood, on his paying the license fees and giving the bond required by law.

Resolved, That a license as a public porter be issued by the Mayor and City Clerk, under the corporate seal of the city to William Utz, on his paying the license fees.

Resolved, That licenses to vend meat, fish, fruit and vegetables from a wagon, cart or other vehicle, in Jersey City, be issued by the Mayor and City Clerk, under the corporate seal of the city, to the following named on their paying the license fees:

Robert Mitchell, John McCune, Wm. Galvin, Timothy Buttimore, Henry Burns, A. Kieserwetter, Jr., Wm. J. McKenney, Wm. Burke, Lewis Kirchner, Martin Sweeney, Henry Hamilton, James E. Cullen, Chas. Miller, and W. H. Harriott.

Resolved, That a license to vend kindling wood from a wagon, cart, or other vehicle in Jersey City, be issued by the Mayor and City Clerk, under the corporate seal of the city, to Michael Carr on his paying the license fee.

Resolved that licenses to vend any other merchandise (than and excepting meat, fish, fruit, vegetables, kindling wood, cigars and tobacco) from a wagon, cart, or other vehicle, in Jersey City, be issued by the Mayor and City Clerk, under the corporate seal of the city, to the following named on their paying the license fees:

M. Greenback, Solomon Atamon, Thomas Kearns and Theodore Jeorgens.

Resolved, That licenses to keep junk shops at the following named places, in Jersey City, be issued by the Mayor and City Clerk, under the corporate seal of the city, to the following named, on their paying the license fees:

Michael Murphy, 234 Railroad avenue, Third District, and Patrick Lynch, Meadow near Charlotte street, Fourth District

Resolved, That the following described trade licenses be transferred, To vend meat, fish, fruit and vegetables:

Jacob Cummer to Henry Dohlman, Joseph Hurley to Dennis Hurley, John Conklin to A. B. Longo. Junk shop, 197 Provost street, Second district, James Fitzpatrick to Matthew Handley.

The resolutions were adopted.

AUDITING OF CLAIMS BY RESOLUTION.

The following resolution was reported by the Committee on Finance in payment of claim presented on the 3d inst.:

Resolved, That a warrant be drawn on the City Treasurer in favor of Michael Donovan for one hundred and twelve dollars for killing and removing 224 dogs, from July 1st to 28th, 1875.

The resolution was adopted.

The following resolutions were reported by the Committee on Public Grounds and Buildings in payment of claims presented at this meeting:

Resolved, That the sum of $270 be paid to P. H. Nugent for settees for Van Vorst Park.

Resolved, That the sum of $180 be paid to P. H. Nugent for settees for Washington Park.

The resolutions were adopted.

MISCELLANEOUS BUSINESS.

On motion of Alderman White the following entitled ordinance, presented August 3, 1875, was taken from the table for consideration, viz:

"An ordinance relative to applications for licenses."

The ordinance was passed by the following vote, the yeas and nays having been ordered and taken:

Yeas—President Harrison and Aldermen Brown, Helms, McLaughlin, Meyer, Powell, Smith, Soule, Van Cleef, White and Wood.

Nays—None.

On motion of Alderman Wood the following entitled ordinance, presented on the 3d inst., was taken from the table for consideration, viz:

"A supplement to an ordinance entitled 'An ordinance to prevent interments of the dead within the corporate limits of Jersey City,'" passed December 2, 1862, and approved December 6, 1862, and re-enacted by ordinance approved August 18, 1871.

The ordinance was passed by the following vote, the yeas and nays having been ordered and taken:

Yeas—President Harrison and Aldermen Brown, Helms, McLaughlin, Meyer, Powell, Smith, Soule, Van Cleef, White and Wood,

Nays—None.

On motion of Alderman Wood the following entitled ordinance, presented July 20, 1875, was taken from the table for consideration, viz:

"An ordinance amendatory to the ordinance entitled 'An ordinance concerning hack drivers, omnibus drivers and porters.'" passed June 6, 1871.

Alderman Smith moved:

"That the ordinance be put upon its final passage."

Alderman Van Cleef moved That the ordinance be referred to the Committee on Laws and Ordinances.

The motion by Alderman VanCleef was rejected by the following vote, the yeas and nays having been ordered and taken on the call of the President:

Yeas — President Harrison and Aldermen Helms, Meyer, Soule and Van Cleef.

Nays—Aldermen Brown, McLaughlin, Powell, Smith, White and Wood.

The ordinance was then passed by the following vote, the yeas and nays having been ordered and taken:

Yeas—Aldermen Brown, McLaughlin, Powell, Smith, Soule, Van Cleef, White and Wood.

Nays — President Harrison and Aldermen Helms and Meyer.

The following resolution was offered by Alderman Van Cleef:

Resolved, That the Committee on Printing, Stationery and Supplies be authorized to procure fifty badges for pe ldiers, as contemplated in ordinance passed August 3, 1875, and at a cost not to exceed one dollar each.

Alderman McLaughlin moved to amend the resolution by fixing the number at 100 instead of 50.

The amendment was rejected by the following vote, the yeas and nays having been ordered and taken on the call of the President:

Yeas—Aldermen Brown, McLaughlin, Powell, Smith and Wood.

Nays—President Harrison and Aldermen Helms, Meyer, Soule, Van Cleef and White.

Alderman McLaughlin moved as an amendment:

"That the number be stricken out and the following words added: "And in number at the option of the Committee"

The amendment was adopted by the following vote, the yeas and nays having been ordered and taken on the call of the President:

Yeas—All the members present -eleven in number.

The resolution as amended was then adopted by the following vote, the yeas and nays having been ordered and taken on the call of the President:

Yeas—President Harrison and Alderman Brown, Helms, McLaughlin, Meyer, Powell, Smith, Soule, White and Wood.

Nay—Alderman Van Cleef.

The following resolution was offered by Alderman Wood and adopted:

Resolved, That the city clerk be directed to publish in the official papers for the period of ten days an abstract of proceedings and the ordinance concerning the numbering of houses in this city.

The following preamble and resolution were offered by Alderman Wood and adopted:

Whereas, The Morris Canal Company, or the lessees thereof, have prohibited and prevented

the building of a bridge at Jersey avenue over said canal to the great detriment of the citizens of Jersey City: therefore be it

Resolved, That notice be served by the Corporation Attorney on the Morris Canal Company or its lessees that in the opinion of this Board a bridge over the Morris Canal at Jersey avenue is necessary and of considerable importance to the comfort and convenience of our citizens; and that all damages that may arise from the refusal of said company to allow the New Jersey Central Railroad Company, who are willing and ready to construct said bridge, the said city will hold the said Morris Canal Company or its lessees responsible.

On motion of Alderman Wood the Board proceeded to the appointment of City Weighers and Measurers.

(Alderman Meyer obtained leave and retired).

The following nominations were made:

Jeremiah Long by Alderman Brown.

James H. Cubberly and Jacob Wagner by Alderman Wood.

William D. Garretson by Alderman Smith.

Charles Keenan by Alderman Powell.

Patrick Glennon by Alderman Van Cleef.

Patrick McDermott by Alderman McLaughlin.

Michael J. O'Brien by Alderman White.

A balloting was had which resulted as follows:

Aldermen Wood and Helms acted as tellers.

Jeremiah Long received nine (9) votes.

James H. Cubberly received eight (8) votes.

Jacob Wagner received ten (10) votes.

Wm. D. Garretson received nine (9) votes.

Charles Keenan received six (6) votes.

Patrick Glennon received nine (9) votes.

Patrick McDermott received six (6) votes.

Michael J. O'Brien received eight (8) votes.

Whereupon Jeremiah Long, James H. Cubberly, Jacob Wagner, William D. Garretson, PatrickGlennon and Michael J O'Brien having each received the requisite number of votes were declared appointed City Weighers and Measurers.

On motion of Alderman Van Cleef the Board then adjourned.

JOHN F. SCOTT, City Clerk.

Regular meeting at the Aldermanic Chamber, City Hall, Tuesday, Sept. 7, 1875, at 7:30 o'clock P. M.

Present—President Harrison and Aldermen Brown, Helms, McLaughlin, Smith, Soule, Van Cleef, White and Wood.

Absent—Aldermen Kase, Meyer and Powell.

The minutes of the regular meeting of August 17, 1875, were approved as printed in manual form on motion of Alderman Smith.

PRESENATION OF PETITIONS, ETC.

Petitions, etc., were presented, received and disposed of as follows:

For permission to erect awnings:

Of F. W. Clements, in front of premises corner of Hutton street and Hancock avenue.

Granted on motion of Alderman Helms.

Of I. & W. W. Van Cleef, in front of and alongside of premises corner of Montgomery and Grove streets.

Granted on motion of Alderman Wood.

Of Andrew Gasmann, in front of premises on Bergen avenue, between Waverly and Chestnut avenues, Greenville District.

Granted on motion of Alderman Smith.

Of Lawrence Connin, in front of premises north side of Grand street, between State and Westervelt streets.

Granted on motion of Alderman Helms.

For permission to place signs over sidewalks:

Of P. H. Hanley, tenant, and Jeremiah Casey owner, in front of premises 107 Newark avenue.

Granted on motion of Alderman Smith.

Of John Haughy, in front of premises 5 Congress street.

Granted on motion of Alderman Wood.

Of C. V. Traphagen, in front of 175 Pavonia avenue.

Granted on motion of Alderman McLaughlin.

Petition of Patrick Kerwin for permission to construct an oven under sidewalk in front of premises corner Summit and Hopkins avenues.

Granted on motion of Alderman McLaughlin.

For Restaurant Licenses:

First District:

Patrick Kelly, 17 Railroad ave.; Thomas Lenahan, 115 Morris st.; A. C. Van Twistern, 48 Warren st.; Jurgen H. Adelung, 182 Warren st.; Henry Sellholz, 84 Essex st.; Henry Hammond, 89 Railroad ave.; George W. Moore, 33 Newark ave.; M. Kratzner, 98 Essex st.; James Roche, 81 Newark ave.

Second District:

Thomas Sheridan, 12th, near Henderson st.; John Carmody, 143 Ninth st.; Christopher Connolly, 401 First st.; John Duggan, 360 Second st.; John Nicholson, 416 First st.; Thomas Burke, 232 Erie street; P. Sheehan, 531 Henderson street; Edward Murphy, 254 Erie street; John Meehan, 477 Grove street; Patrick Hogan, corner 15th and Henderson streets; Francis Hargaden, 525 Henderson street; Louisa Wildhagen, 136 Pavonia avenue; Daniel Kelly, 459 Henderson street; Mrs. J. McLaughlin, 171 Provost street; M. Hare, 276 11th street; Ellen Flanigan, 180 Erie street; John Carmody, 152 9th st.; William Todd, 153 Mercer st.; Fred'k Hegeler, 354 Henderson street; Patrick Dowling, 112 Steuben street; John Lennon, 116 Pavonia avenue.

Third District—Samuel Evans, 304 Newark avenue; Murphy & Meyer, corner Coles and Sixth streets; Isaac Newman, 318 2nd street; Thomas Dwyer, 331 Henderson street; Fred Hegeler, 304 2nd street; Anna M. T. Curry, corner 5th and Henderson streets; Theodore Frank, 184 Newark avenue; Patrick Hayden, 383 Henderson street.

Fourth District.—John Schuchardt, 687 Newark avenue: F. L. Farrant, 685 Newark avenue; Philip Dittmar, 40 Ogden avenue: Henry Meyer, corner Pearce avenue and Paterson street; Catharine Disqui: corner Mountain and Paterson Plank Roads; David O'Leary, 823 Newark avenue; Herman Tietjen, corner Bowers street and Cambridge avenue; Charles B. Gardner, corner Ferris street and Newark avenue; Philip Farber, Congress street near Summit avenue; Louis Fredenberg, South street near Nelson avenue; Dietrich Pohlman, 14 Ogden avenue; Nicholas Mitchell, 82 Beacon avenue; John Miche', 168 Beacon avenue; John Weastele, Tonnele avenue near County Road.

Fifth District—Michael C. Maguire, corner of Montgomery street and Bergen avenue; James Reilly, Communipaw, opposite Jackson avenue; Thomas Smith, No 7 St. Pauls avenue; Patrick H. Cosgrove, corner of Summit avenue and Vroom street.

Sixth District—Augustus Thau, Greenville avenue; Henry Connery, corner of Grand street and Communipaw avenue; Peter Tormey & Son, corner of Communipaw avenue and Grand street; John Condon, corner of Pine and Maple streets; Edward Delany, 139 Wayne street; Henry Schmidt, corner of Atlantic street and New Bergen road.

Referred to Committee on Liquor Licenses.

For transfer of restaurant licenses:

Zegmund Strelecki, No. 223 to 264 Washington street, 1st district.

Thomas Furey, 14 Sussex street, 1st district, to Martin Murray, 371 2d street, 2d district.

Charles Fields, No. 411 to 179 Steuben street, 2d district.

Maria McNight, 232 Erie street to 180 13th street, 2d district.

George W. Moore, No. 316 to John A. Helms.

F. W Clements, Jr., No. 81 to John Rouan, 412 Palisade avenue, 4th district.

Fritz Burger, No. 50? to Martin Stanton, 72 Hopkins avenue, 4th district.

Patrick Burke, No. 147 to Edward Losey.

Referred to Committee on Liquor Licenses.

For Trade Licenses—

To vend meat, fish, fruit and vegetables:

Jerry Murphy, Thomas McEntee, John Broderick, James Sherry, Richard Curtis and James Van Hoerbeck.

To vend merchandise:

John McCann, Wm. Melee, Patrick O'Hare, Andrew Munster, and Isaac Simons.

To keep Junk Shop:

Caspar Diets, Meadow street and St. Paul's avenue, Fourth District.

Public Porters:

James Douglass and Hugh Ryan.

Referred to Committee on Trade Licenses.

For transfer of Trade Licenses:

Cornelius Clayton to vend meat, fish, fruit and vegetables, to William Coogan; Michael Murphy, junk shop, 234 Railroad avenue, Third District, to Philip White, 3 Essex street, First District.

Referred to Committee on Trade Licenses.

PRESENTATION OF CLAIMS.

Claims were presented, received, and disposed of as follows:

Of H. & F. Miller, $37; Edward Hope, Jr., $10; H. H. Brinkerhoff, $26.04; J. W. Johnson, $111.60; and H. Fardelmann, $22.25.

Referred to Committee on Alms.

Of Alfred Rawlings, $5.75.

Referred to Committee on Baths and Armories.

Of Michael Donovan, $30; Edward Reilly, $39 and $43.

Referred to Committee on Finance.

Of McAvoy Brothers, $23 and $54; Mary Brady administratrix, $43 and $60; Peter Dalton, Jr., $3.65; the Argus, $133.50; and of H. F. McDermott, $56.30.

Referred to Committee on Printing, Stationery, and Supplies.

Of Michael Tuomey, $48; John Fitzpatrick, $48; M. Kerrigan, $48; John Higgins, $48; and Thomas McCullough, $48.

Referred to Committee on Public Grounds and Buildings.

OFFICERS' COMMUNICATIONS.

The City Clerk laid before the Board the following communication from his honor the Mayor filed in the City Clerk's office on the 1st inst., and the same was read, received and ordered to be entered at large on the Journal of Proceedings.

MAYOR'S OFFICE, CITY HALL,
Jersey City, Aug. 30, 1875.

To the Honorable the Board of Aldermen of Jersey City:

Gentlemen—I herewith return to you the annexed ordinance "relative to applications for Licenses" without my signature for the following reasons, viz:

First—Because the passage of such an ordinance would take the granting of licenses out of the hands of your honorable body where by the char-

ter it is placed, and place it in the hands of the Clerk contrary to the provisions of the charter and the intention of the Legislators.

Second—Because it would give the applicant sixty (60) days to carry on a business for which your honorable body might not give him permission, and he would thereby have the benefit of the carrying on said business, and the city would receive no compensation.

Respectfully yours,
HENRY TRAPHAGEN,
Mayor.

The report of Frederick Haag, poundkeeper 6th District for quarter ending August 10, 1875, was presented, received and ordered filed.

The City Clerk presented reports of the approval by the Mayor, August 20 and 30, 1875, respectively of the ordinances passed August 17, 1875, supplementary to interments of the dead within the corporate limits and amendatory to hack drivers omnibus drivers, &c.

The reports were received and ordered filed.

REPORT OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

The Committee on Laws and Ordinances to whom was referred August 3, 1875, the petition of F. H. Spivey and others for the removal of Public pound from Jefferson avenue, presented a favorable report thereon recommending the adoption of the following resolution:

Resolved, That Pound Master Edward Reilly, be notified to remove the public pound now situate in Jefferson avenue near Palisade avenue in the Fourth Aldermanic District forthwith, to such location as the Committee on Laws and Ordinances may select, provided the rental for such place does not exceed one hundred dollars per annum.

The report was received.

By consent a remonstrance signed by Edward Reilly Pound keeper and others against the removal of the Pound was presented.

The resolution was then adopted.

The Committee on Liquor Licenses reported the following resolutions on applications referred to said committee August 17, 1875:

The reports were received and the resolutions disposed of as follows:

Resolved, That a license be granted to Lyman Fisk to keep an inn and tavern at 17, 19 and 21 Exchange place, in the First district.

Resolved, That licenses be granted to the following named to keep restaurants in the following named places in Jersey City:

First District—John Smith, 127 Hudson street; Thomas Furey, 14 Sussex street; John Clinton, 138 Essex street; D. Stegman, 2 Exchange Place; Martin Sweeney, 34 Bright street; Martin Kindergin, 57 Sussex street; Matthew Doyle, 33 Montgomery street; H. F. Sohns, 50 Essex street.

Second District—Johanna Roach, 178 13th street; Theodore Weiss, 568 Grand street; Matthew Dixon, 325 10th street; Adam J. Kachler, 420 Grand street; Henry Heinecke, 239 Provost street; Wm. Dorgan, 163 Morgan street; John Commerdinger, 334 1st street; P. Birmingham, 317 Monmouth street.

Third District—Anton Reutter, 180 Newark avenue; Matthew Doyle, 526 2d street.

Fourth District—Charles Bauer, Charlotte street near St Paul's avenue; Leopold Shubnell, 402 Palisade avenue; C. Helms, corner Sherman avenue and Hutton street; Martin Welsh, 841 Newark avenue; Mary L. Tietjen, 864 Central avenue; Marcus Martens, corner Central avenue and Franklin street; Clauis Prigge, 69 Hancock avenue; Henry Holste, 95 Central avenue; Sennez Noppel, 132 Beacon avenue; Patrick Sullivan, St. Paul's avenue near Bevans street; Peter Deller, corner Germania avenue and Zabriskie street; Francis C. Gillins, 111 Thorne st.; John Leyk, 219 Congress st.; Henry Stehn, cor. Liberty st. and Palisade avenue; Jacques Monnais, 38 Leonard st.; Martin Diehl, Cherry Lane, near James st.; John Scehfer, 164 Beacon ave.; W. H. Van Ojen, corner New York ave. and Hutton st.; Cord Hillerbrandt, corner Sandford Place and Hutton st.; John Breitenstein, 383 Palisade ave.

Fifth District—Mrs. B. Ford, cor. Orchard and Crawford sts.; A. Greenleaf, 41 Hoboken ave.; Conover B. Carhart, 7 Hoboken ave.

Sixth District—Henry P. Wittpenn, Halladay st. near Communipaw ave.; Christian Kaiser, corner Whiton st. and Johnston ave.; M. Schaffel, Ege near Ocean ave.

Resolved, That the following restaurant licenses be transferred:

No. 25, Charles Brady to corner Lafayette and Halliday streets 6th district.

No. 243, Thomas Foster to 324 Newark avenue, 2d district.

No. 492, Silvester Byrne to Albert Konetzny.

The resolutions were severally adopted by the ollowing vote, the yeas and nays having been ordered and taken:

Yeas—All the members present, nine in number.

The Committee on Streets reported the following resolutions on petitions referred to said committee August 3d and 17th, 1875:

Resolved, That permission be granted to James Hetherington to erect an awning in front of his premises at the corner of Grand and State streets.

Resolved, That permission be granted to Robert Craig to erect an awning in front of his premises 192 Montgomery street.

Resolved, That permission be granted to R. D. Van Buskirk to erect an awning in front and side of premises owned by him No. 265 Henderson street.

Resolved, That permission be granted to M. M. Drohan, owner, and A. J. Hall, tenant, to erect a sign over the sidewalk in front of his premises, 110 Sussex street.

The reports were received and the resolutions severally adopted.

The Committee on Trade Licenses reported the following resolutions on applications referred to said committee August 17, 1875:

The reports were received and the resolutions disposed of as follows:

Resolved, That licenses to vend meat, fish, fruit and vegetables from a wagon, cart or other vehicle, in Jersey City, be issued by the Mayor and City Clerk, under the corporate seal of the city, to the following named on their paying the license fees:

Mortimir Sullivan, Mary Vivian, Otis Shafer, John Buchhammer, Jacques Monnais, Thomas Greany, Arthur McGreevy, James Keating, Edward Johnson, Samuel Lowery, Mary Kopitsch, Jacob Stucky, Frederick Knoedel, John Sexto, Andrew Cusick, and Thomas Shortel.

Resolved, That a license to vend kindling wood from a wagon, cart, or other vehicle in Jersey City, be issued by the Mayor and City Clerk, under the corporate seal of the city, to Patrick Shea on his paying the license fees.

Resolved, That a license to vend cigars and tobacco from a wagon, cart or other vehicle in Jersey City be issued by the Mayor and City Clerk, under the corporate seal of the city to Gustave Kuhn, on his paying the license fees.

Resolved that licenses to vend any other merchandise than and excepting meat, fish, fruit, vegetables, kindling wood, cigars and tobacco from a wagon, cart, or other vehicle, in Jersey City, be issued by the Mayor and City Clerk, under the corporate seal of the city, to the following named on their paying the license fees:

Daniel O'Mara; Harry Bartels, Michael Connaughton and J. A. Tinker.

Resolved, That licenses to keep junk shops at the following named places, in Jersey City, be issued by the Mayor and City Clerk, under the corporate seal of the city, to the following named, on their paying the license fees:

Henry McArdle, 48 Bay street, 2d district, James Rouan, Palisade avenue, near Hutton street, 4th district.

The resolutions were adopted.

AUDITING OF CLAIMS BY RESOLUTION.

The following resolutions were reported by committees in payment of claims presented and referred at this meeting.

By Committee on Baths and Armories:

Resolved, That the sum of $5.75 be paid to Alfred Rawlings, for caning chairs, &c., at public bath.

By Committee on Printing, Stationery and Supplies:

Resolved, That the sum of $23 be paid to McAvoy Brothers, for stationery furnished at city clerk's office.

Resolved, That the sum of $54 be paid to McAvoy Brothers, for stationery for Council Chamber.

Resolved, That the sum of $56 30 be paid to Hugh F. McDermott, for advertising corporation notices, &c., in the Jersey City Herald, fro April 17th to June 26th, 1875.

Resolved, That the sum of $43 be paid to Mary Brady, adminx., for board of horse of overseer of the poor for 13 days in May and all of June, 1875.

Resolved, That the sum of $60 be paid to Mary Brady, adminx., for board of horse of overseer of the poor for July and August, 1875.

Resolved, That the sum of $3.65 be paid to Peter Dalton, Jr.; for new keys, &c., furnished City Marshal,

By Committee on Public Grounds and Buildings:

Resolved, That the sum of $48 be paid to John Fitzpatrick for services as keeper of Washington Square for August, 1875.

Resolved, That the sum of $48 be paid to John Higgins for services as keeper of Hamilton Park for August, 1875.

Resolved, That the sum of $48 be paid to M. Kerrigan for services as keeper of Hamilton Park for August, 1875.

Resolved, That the sum of $48 be paid to Thomas McCullough for services as keeper of Van Vorst Square for August, 1875.

Resolved, That the sum of $48 be paid to Michael Twomey for services as keeper of Van Vorst Park for August, 1875.

The resolutions were adopted.

MISCELLANEOUS BUSINESS.

On motion of Alderman Brown it was unanimously

Resolved, That the appointment made August 17, 1875, of Jeremiah Long as a City Weigher and Measurer be changed to Timothy Long, to correct an error made by said Alderman in making the nomination.

The following resolution was offered by Alderman Soule and adopted:

Resolved, That the following sums be paid to the parties hereinafter named for salaries for August, 1875:

John E. Scott, City Clerk.....	$250 00
John E. Hewitt, Overseer of Poor.....	83 33
George Deegan, City Marshal..... ..	83 33

The following resolution was offered by Alderman Wood and adopted:

Resolved, That the sum of one hundred dollars be paid to John Brady for services as keeper of Public Bath for August, 1875:

On motion of Alderman White the Board then adjourned.

JOHN E. SCOTT, City Clerk.

Regular meeting at the Aldermanic Chamber, City Hall, Tuesday, Sept. 21, 1875, at 7:30 o'clock P. M.

Present—President Harrison and Aldermen Brown, Helms, Kase, McLaughlin, Powell, Smith, Soule, White, and Wood.

Absent—Aldermen Meyer and Van Cleef.

The minutes of the regular meeting of the 7th inst., were approved as printed in manual form on motion of Alderman White.

PRESENATION OF PETITIONS, ETC.

Petitions, etc., were presented, received and disposed of as follows:

Invitation from Jersey City Schutzen Park Co., Bergen avenue, Greenville District, to attend their festival on Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday, Sept. 20, 21 and 22, 1875. Accepted.

Communication from J. H. Bonn, President, North Hudson Co. Railway Co., submitting plan and asking permission to lay turn-out in Grove street, as shown on plan, for the purpose of trying the same, &c.

Referred to Committee on Laws and Ordinances, on motion of Alderman McLaughlin.

Petition of Smith Mead, for permission to remove the marble mantel from old hose house No. 4, now used as office of Overseer of the Poor.

Referred to Corporation Counsel, on motion of Alderman McLaughlin.

For permission to erect signs over sidewalks:

Of St. John T. A. B. Association, per Philip Kavanagh, President, owners; and J. K. Miller, tenant, in front of St. John's Hall, Gregory street.

Domestic Sewing Machine Company, per C. R. Ellis, tenant, and H. A. Booraem, owner, in front of premises 116 Newark avenue.

James O'Brien, in front of premises corner of Vreeland and Grand streets. Referred to Committee on Streets.

Of Farrier & Garretson, owners, and Hudson County German Publishing Association, tenants, in front of premises 44 Montgomery street.

Granted, on motion of Alderman Wood.

Petition of Dominick Meyer, for permission to erect vestibule to project four feet from front of premises 273 Washington street.

Granted, on motion of Alderman Smith.

Petition of Adam Craig, owner, for permission to suspend a sign from awning erected in front of premises 165 Newark avenue.

Granted on motion of Alderman Wood.

Petition of Frederick Buck, owner, for permission to erect awning in front of premises, 712 Newark avenue.

Referred to Committee on Streets.

Petition of Mrs. Mary Coyle to have refunded Restaurant fee deposited Sept. 4, 1875, by Mrs. Anna M. T. Curry.

The following resolution in relation thereto was offered by Alderman McLaughlin and adopted.

Resolved, That the sum of $25 be paid to Mrs. Mary Coyle to refund Restaurant license fee deposited Sept. 4, 1875; by Mrs. Anna M. T. Curry, now deceased.

Petition of Thomas Scott to have refunded license fee deposited Sept. 8, 1875

The following resolution in relation thereto was offered by Alderman Powell and adopted.

Resolved, That the sum of $10 be paid to Thomas Scott to refund fee deposited by him Sept. 8, 1875, for a license to vend merchandise.

For Restaurant Licenses:

First District—Frederick Seivers, 176 Warren street; W. R. Lyon, 35 Grand street; P. F. Meschutt, 100 Montgomery street: L. Bailey, corner Grand and Hudson streets; Wilhelmina Herche, 55 Essex street; John McCann, 137 Essex street.

Second District—Otto Shubert, 8 Ivy Place; James Conheerey, Westervelt street near Grand street, Michael O'Gready, corner Grand street and Ivy Place; George Smith, 349 Warren street; Murphy & Meyers, 194 and 196 Pavonia avenue; James Clear, 147 Morgan street; Patrick McNamara, 140 Ninth street; W. A. Martin, 223 Warren street; H. W. Harms, 317 Henderson street; Frederick Schumann, corner First and Greene streets.

Third District—James Caffrey, 297 Grand street; Rudolph Schmidhausen, 336 Third street; Henry Mades, 298 Newark avenue; Michael O'Hara, 177 Bay street; John D. Caulfield, 326 Third street.

Fourth District—John Hollman, 128 Beacon avenue; Terrence Collins, 118 Beacon avenue; John Feiler, 331 Palisade avenue; John Sander, 394 St. Paul's avenue; John H. Westhoff, 433 Central avenue: John Barr, 804 Newark avenue; Frederick Becker, 493 Palisade avenue; August M. D. Peterson, corner Palisade avenue and Franklin street: Stephen Kessler, 457 Central avenue.

Fifth District—John J. Gaffney, corner Montgomery street and West Side avenue.

Sixth District—Charles H. Wilson, Bergen Point Plank Road, near Neptune avenue.

Referred to Committee on Liquor Licenses.

For transfer of Restaurant Licenses:

No. 57—Frederick Behrens to Louis Muller.

No. 607—E. C. Muller to Frederick Schwartz, corner South street and Pearce avenue, 4th District.

No. 610—John Smith to John J. Morris.

Referred to Committee on Liquor Licenses.

For Trade Licenses:

To vend meat, fish, fruit and vegetables, John Murphy and James McHugh.

To vend merchandise except meat, fish, &c., William Thompson (three), George Ortner, F. Barckhausen, John Sullivan, Benjamin S. Clark, W. R. Lieb, Geo. T. Robbins, Henry Hardekopf, C. F. Erhard and T. S. Conklin.

Public Porter—John Norton.

Referred to Committee on Trade Licenses.

For transfer of Trade Licenses:

William J. McKenny to vend meat, fish, &c., to Robert Gilleland.

Michael Connaughton from merchandise to John Murphy to vend meat, fish, &c.

Patrick Lynch from Junk shop to vend meat, fish, &c.

Referred to Committee on Trade Licenses.

PRESENTATION OF CLAIMS.

Claims were presented, received, and disposed of as follows:

Of John B. Haight, $47: Andrew J. Hall, $95; James Hunt, $34.80 and $14; Michael O'Grady, $51.25, and Andrew Scanlon, $51.10.

Referred to Committee on Alms.

Of Michael Donovan, $19.50, and Edward Reilly, $47.50 and $62.

Referred to Committee on Finance.

Of J. W. Harrison, $66.75; McAvoy Bros., $200; Muldoon & Harrison, $9.87, and Speilman & Brush, $65.

Referred to Committee on Printing, Stationery and Supplies.

Of Wm, H. Armstrong, $952.92.

Referred to Committee on Streets.

OFFICERS' COMMUNICATIONS.

The reports of Edward Reilly, pound keeper, from June 9 to Sept. 18, 1875, and of Michael Donovan, pound keeper from May 24 to August 24, 1875, were presented, received and ordered filed.

The city clerk presented a report setting forth that Jacob Wagner, William D. Garretson and Patrick Glennon, appointed August 17, 1875, as City Weighers and Measurers had failed to qualify within the time required by law.

The report was received and ordered filed.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

The Committee on Liquor Licenses reported the following resolutions on applications referred to said committee on the 7th inst.:

The reports were received and the resolutions disposed of as follows:

Resolved, That licenses be granted to the following named to keep restaurants at the following named places in Jersey City:

First District:

Patrick Kelly, 17 Railroad ave.; Thomas Lenahan, 115 Morris st.; A. C. Van Twistern, 48 Warren st.; Jurgen H. Adelung, 182 Warren st.; Henry Sellholz, 84 Essex st.; Henry Hammond, 89 Railroad ave.; George W. Moore, 33 Newark ave.; M. Kratzner, 98 Essex st.; James Roche, 81 Newark ave.

Second District:

Thomas Sheridan, 12th, near Henderson st.; John Carmody, 143 Ninth st.; Christopher Connolly, 401 First st.; John Duggan, 360 Second st.; John Nicholson, 416 First st.; Thomas Burke, 232 Erie street; P. Sheehan, 531 Henderson street; Edward Murphy, 254 Erie street; John Meehan, 477 Grove street; Patrick Hogan, corner 15th and Henderson streets;

Francis Hargaden, 525 Henderson street; Louisa Wildhagen, 136 Pavonia avenue; Daniel Kelly, 459 Henderson street; Mrs. J. McLaughlin, 171 Provost street; M. Hare, 276 11th street; Ellen Flanigan, 180 Erie street; John Carmody, 152 9th st.; William Todd, 183 Mercer st.; Fred'k Hegeler, 345 Henderson street; Patrick Dowling, 112 Steuben street; John Lennon, 116 Pavonia avenue.

Third District—Samuel Evans, 304 Newark avenue; Murphy & Meyer, corner Coles and Sixth streets; Isaac Newman, 318 2nd street; Thomas Dwyer, 331 Henderson street; Fred Hegeler, 204 2nd street; Theodore Frank, 184 Newark avenue; Patrick Hayden, 383 Henderson street.

Fourth District.—John Schuchardt, 687 Newark avenue: F. L. Farrant, 685 Newark avenue; Phillip Dittmar, 40 Ogden avenue: Henry Meyer, corner Pearce avenue and Paterson street:-Catharine Disqui, corner Mountain and Paterson Plank Roads; David O'Leary, 823 Newark avenue; Herman Tietjen, corner Bowers street and Cambridge avenue; Charles B. Gardner corner Ferris street and Newark avenue; Philip Farber, Congress street near Summit avenue; Louis Fredenberg, South street between Nelson and Summit avenues; Dietrich Pohlman, 14 Ogden avenue; Nicholas Mitchell, 82 Beacon avenue; John Miche', 168 Beacon avenue; John Weastele, Tonnele avenue near County Road.

Fifth District—Michael C. Maguire, corner of Montgomery street and Bergen avenue; James Reilly, Communipaw, opposite Jackson avenue; Thomas Smith, No. 7 St. Pauls avenue; Patrick H. Cosgrove, corner of Summit avenue and Vroom street.

Sixth District—August Thau, Greenville avenue; Henry Convery, junction of Grand street and Communipaw avenue; Peter Tormey & Son, corner of Communipaw avenue and Grand street; John Condon, corner of Pine and Maple streets; Edward Delany, 139 Wayne street; Henry Schmidt, corner of Atlantic street and New Bergen road.

The resolution was adopted by the following vote, the yeas and nays having been ordered and taken:

Yeas—All the members present—ten (10) in number.

Resolved, That the following restaurant licenses be transferred:

No. 223, Zegmund Strelecki to 264 Washington street, 1st district.

Thomas Furey, from 14 Sussex street, 1st district, to Martin Murray, at 371 2d street, 2d district.

No. 411, Charles Fields to 179 Steuben street, 2d district.

Of Maria McNight, from 232 Erie street to 180 13th street, 2d district.

No. 316, George W. Moore to John A. Helms.

No. 81, F. W Clements Jr., to John Rouan, 412 Palisade avenue, 4th district.

No. 501, Fritz Burger to Martin Stanton, 72 Hopkins avenue, 4th district.

No. 147, Patrick Burke to Edward Losey.

The resolution was adopted.

The Committee on Trade Licenses reported the following resolutions on applications referred to said committee on the 7th inst.:

The reports were received and the resolutions disposed of as follows:

Resolved, That licenses to vend meat, fish, fruit and vegetables from a wagon, cart or other vehicle, in Jersey City, be issued by the Mayor and City Clerk, under the corporate seal of the city, to the following named on their paying the license fees:

Jeremiah Murphy, Thomas McEntee, John Broderick, James Sherry, Richard Curlis and James Van Horebeek.

Resolved that licenses to vend any other merchandise than and excepting meat, fish, fruit, vegetables, kindling wood, cigars and tobacco from a wagon, cart, or other vehicle, in Jersey City, be issued by the Mayor and City Clerk, under the corporate seal of the city, to the following named on their paying the license fees:

John McCann, Wm. Melee, Patrick O'Hare, Isaac Simon and Andrew Munster.

Resolved, That licenses as public porters be issued by the Mayor and city clerk under the corporate seal of the city to James Douglass and Hugh Ryan on their paying the license fees.

Resolved, That a license to keep a junk shop at Meadow street near St. Paul's avenue, in the Fourth District of Jersey City, be issued by the Mayor and City Clerk, under the corporate seal of the city, to Caspar Dietz, on his paying the license fees.

Resolved, That the following Trade Licenses be transferred:

To vend meat, fish, fruit and vegetables:

Cornelius Clayton to William Coogan.

To keep a Junk Shop:

Michael Murphy, 234 Railroad avenue, Third District, to Philip White, 3 Essex street, First District.

The resolutions were severally adopted.

AUDITING OF CLAIMS BY RESOLUTION.

The following resolutions were reported by the Committee on Alms, in payment of claims presented at this meeting:

Resolved, That the sum of $95 be paid to Andrew J. Hall, for coffins and wagon hire for burial of out-door poor, from May 1 to August 2, 1875.

Resolved, That the sum of $51.10 be paid to Andrew Scanlen, for groceries for out-door poor, from July 10 to August 14, 1875.

The resolutions were adopted.

The following resolutions were reported by committees in payment of claims heretofore referred:

By Committee on Alms:

Resolved, That the sum of $22.25 be paid to H. Fardlemann, for groceries for out-door poor, from July 3 to August 14, 1875

Resolved, That the sum of $10 be paid to Edward Hope, Jr, for coffin and wagon hire for burial of out-door poor, August 13, 1875.

Resolved, That the sum of $111.60 be paid to J. W. Johnson, for meat for out-door poor, from July 1 to August 14, 1875.

Resolved, That the sum of $79 be paid to H. W. Miller, for groceries for out-door poor, from February 8 to April 12, 1875.

Resolved, That the sum of $37 be paid to H. & F. Miller, for groceries for out-door poor, from June 2 to August 15, 1875.

Resolved, That the sum of $159.94 be paid to L. Munkel for bread for out-door poor from May 18 to August 1, 1875.

Resolved, That the sum of $43.19 be paid to John Ohle for groceries for out-door poor from May 22 to July 14, 1875.

By Committee on Printing, Stationery and Supplies:

Resolved, That the sum of $133.50 be paid to the Argus for printing and advertising from Aug. 9 to 31, 1875.

Resolved, That the sum of $96.15 be paid to Pangborn, Dunning & Dear for advertising notices, &c., to July 17, 1875.

MISCELLANEOUS BUSINESS.

Resolutions were presented, received and disposed of as follows:

By Alderman Soule and adopted:

Resolved, That warrants be drawn on the City Treasurer for payment of salaries for September, 1875, when due:

John E. Scott, city clerk, $250; John E. Hewitt, overseer of the poor, $83.33, and George Deegan, city marshal, $83.33.

By Alderman Powell and adopted:

Resolved, That the Board of Public Works be requested to cause the "one hundred steps" at the head of Franklin street to be repaired and placed in a safe condition before the coming of cold weather, because of the great travel by that route and the frequency of accidents and unsafe and precarious state of said steps.

By Alderman Soule:

Resolved, That a special committee of three be appointed to examine into the several items of expenditure for repairing the roof and leaders of City Hall, and with power to send for persons and papers, and report the result of their investigation at the next meeting of this Board.

The resolution was adopted and Aldermen Soule, Kase and Wood appointed the committee.

By Alderman White and adopted:

Resolved, That the Committee on Public Grounds and Buildings are hereby authorized to have rebuilt the chimney on building occupied by Overseer of the Poor, in Bright street, at an expense not exceeding forty dollars, the said chimney being now in a dangerous condi-

tion, being liable to topple over at any moment and perhaps do some very serious injury.

Alderman White called the attention of the Board to the fact that parties are removing flag stones from Washington street, south of the Morris Canal.

On motion of Alderman Smith it was

Resolved, That the subject matter of said removal be referred to the Committee on Streets for investigation.

On motion of Alderman McLaughlin the Board then adjourned.

JOHN E. SCOTT, City Clerk.

Regular meeting at the Aldermanic Chamber, City Hall, Tuesday, Oct. 5th, 1875, at 7:30 o'clock P. M.

Present—President Harrison and Aldermen Brown, Helms, Kase, McLaughlin, Meyer, Soule and Van Cleef.

Aldermen White and Wood were absent at the calling of the roll, but subsequently appeared and took their seats.

Absent—Aldermen Powell and Smith.

The minutes of the regular meeting of Sept. 21, 1875, were approved as printed in manual form on motion of Alderman Brown.

PRESENATION OF PETITIONS, ETC.

Petitions, etc., were presented, received and disposed of as follows:

Communication from the Hudson County District Society for Prevention of Cruelty to Animals submitting copy of resolution adopted by said Society on the 4th inst., requesting the Board to furnish a permanent place for meetings and preservation of records.

On motion of Alderman Van Cleef, Mr. C. H. Benson, Assistant Secretary was invited to and did address the Board in explanation of the request, giving as a reason for the passage of the resolution that notwithstanding the kindness of the Board of Alderman in granting the Society the use of the Aldermanic Chamber the City Marshal although repeatedly notified, had neglected to open the door or light the gas at any meeting during the past three months.

On motion of Alderman Van Cleef the communication was referred to the Committee on Laws and Ordinances.

(Alderman White appeared and took his seat.)

Petition of William Muirheid and others to have Thomas McCullough re-appointed a keeper of Van Vorst Square.

Referred to Committee on Public Grounds and Buildings on motion of Alderman Brown.

For restaurant licenses:

First District—Patrick Baxter, 50 York street; James Alexander, 262 Warren street; Cooper & Martin, 11 Exchange Place; John C. Allen, 147 Hudson street, and P. H. Carling, 143 Newark avenue.

Second District—Joseph Bauer, 250 Monmouth street; Thomas Reilly 3 0 First street; William Golden, 28 First street; Patrick McGovan, Grand street opp. Pacific avenue; Timothy Lane, 136 S euben street; Patrick Joyce, 150 Steuben street, and H. Steffens, 358 First street.

Third District—John J. Quinn, 251 Grove st.; John Kelly, 183 Morgan st.; John S Reehill, 464 Grove st.; F. X. Hirtensperger, 1.3 Newark ave.; and James M. Blaney, 142 Newark ave.

Fourth District—Louis Kiesewitter, 445 Palisade ave.; Victoria Sauer, Newark ave., near James st.; John M. Schreck, cor. Palisade ave., and Ferry st.; Adam Siegfried, cor. South st., and New York ave., and John Fincke, cor. Webster ave., and Congress st

Sixth District—John N Stucke, 357 Varick st.; Annie Scanlon, cor. Varick st, and Railroad ave.; Michael Hennessy, 242 Wayne st.; M——Richardson & Bro., Grand near Vreeland st., and Philip Landmesser, 299 Grove st.

Referred to Committee on Liquor Licenses.

For transfer of Restaurant Licenses—

Of John Commerdinger, No. 635 to 112 Brunswick st., 2d district.

Daniel Kelly, No. 636 to 181 Fourteenth st., 2d district.

Marx Hoff, No. 253 to 253 Railroad ave, 2d district.

G. H. Seigenthaler, No. 364 to Julius Henn.

Referred to Committee on Liquor Licenses.

Petition of Charles Keenan, Executor of the estate of D. Keenan, for permission to erect an awning in front of premises No. 636 Communipaw ave.

Granted on motion of Alderman Kase.

Petition of Ann Dougherty for permission to erect an awning over sidewalk in front of 43 Fairmount avenue.

Referred to Committee on Streets.

Petition of M. F. Marshall for permission to erect an awning corner of Brunswick and 3d streets, and to occupy for building purposes one-half of 3d street.

Referred to Committee on Streets.

Petition of Andrew Vigel for permission to erect an awning in front of premises 431 Central avenue.

Granted on motion of Alderman Helms.

Petition of Bailey, Lang & Co. for permission to place a sign over sidewalk corner of Morgan and Warren streets.

Referred to Committee on Streets.

Petition of C. Bast & Co. for permission to place a sign over sidewalk in front of 318 5th street.

Referred to Committee on Streets.

Petition of H. Aderforth for permission to place a lamp-post in front of 427 Palisade avenue.

Alderman Helms moved that the prayer of the petition be granted.

Alderman Van Cleef moved that the petition be referred to the Committee on Laws and Ordinances.

The motion by Alderman Van Cleef was adopted by the following vote, the yeas and nays having been ordered and taken on the call of the President:

Yeas—President Harrison and Aldermen McLaughlin, Meyer, Van Cleef and White.

Nays—Aldermen Brown, Helms, Kase and Soule.

Petition of George Adams for a return to him of $10 license fee, paid August 13, 1875.

The following resolution in relation thereto was offered by Alderman McLaughlin and adopted:

Resolved, That the sum of $10 be paid to George Adams to refund pedler's license fee deposited by him August 13, 1875.

For trade licenses:

To vend meat, fish, fruit and vegetables.

Of August Paris, Patrick Carroll, Geo. Barber, John Golden and Wm. Campbell.

To vend kindling wood.

Of Robert Miller.

To vend merchandise.

Of John Browning, Carl Bergerhoff, Henry Pollitz, W. Levy and Alfred Barton.

Referred to Committee on Trade Licenses.

PRESENTATION OF CLAIMS.

Claims were presented, received and disposed of as follows:

Of N. B. Shafer, $190.83 and $190.83.

Referred to Committee on Bates and Armories.

Of Edward Reily, $68.50, and Michael Donovan, $5.

Referred to Committee on Finance.

Of Hudson County German Publishing Association, $131.60; McAvoy Bros., $59.25, and James Ray, $103.20.

Referred to Committee on Printing, Stationery and Supplies.

Dodd & Brown, $30; John Fitzpatrick, $48; John Higgins, $48; Michael Kerrigan, $48, and Thomas McCullough, $48.

Referred to Committee on Public Buildings and Grounds.

New York Sand Blast Glass Company, $100.

Referred to Committee on Streets.

OFFICERS' COMMUNICATIONS.

A communication from his Honor the Mayor, submitting a printed copy of a circular received by him from Sanford B. Hunt, Secretary of Committee on Organization of a State Sanitary Convention to be held in the city of Newark, on the 13th inst., requesting the appointment of one or more delegates from the Board of Aldermen to represent Jersey City in said Convention, was presented, received, and on motion of Alderman Van Cleef, it was

Resolved, That two Aldermen be appointed as del gates.

Whereupon Aldermen Van Cleef and Kase were appointed.

A communication from His Honor the Mayor renominating and appointing John Craven as a commissioner for the construction of a sewer from the terminus of the Ravine road sewer to connect with sewer in Jersey City, now built, was presented, received, and on motion of Alderman McLaughlin ordered to lie upon the table until the next regular meeting.

A concurrent resolution adopted by the Board of Public Works Sept. 21, 1875: "That in the opinion of said Board it would be just that the expense for paving that portion of Grand street as is at present unpaved, being the southerly

one half thereof, between Jersey avenue and Grove street, and that portion of the northerly one half thereof lying at and near its intersection with Bright street, should be borne by the city at large and paid by general tax, was presented, received, and on motion of Alderman Van Cleef referred to the Committee on Streets.

REPORT OF SELECT COMMITTEE.

The special committee appointed Sept. 21, 1875, to examine into the several items for repairing roof &c , of City Hall, presented their report which was received, and on motion of Alderman Brown ordered to be entered in the minutes. The report being as follows:

Honorable Board of Aldermen:

Your special committee appointed under resolution of Sept. 21, 1875, to examine into the several items of expenditure for repairing the roof and leaders of the City Hall, with power to send for persons and papers, respectfully report that your committee have held two meetings, to wit.:

Friday, September 24, 1875, and Friday, October 1, 1875, at one o'clock in the afternoon, at the Mayor's office in the City Hall, at which meetings all of your committee were present, and after examining, under oath, several well known citizens thoroughly conversant with the roofing business, do most respectfully report that from the evidence adduced before your committee and hereto annexed, and after carefully considering such evidence, in our opinion the claim of O'Mara Brothers for $195.80 for repairing roof and leaders at City Hall, presented June 15, 1875, and ordered paid July 6, 1875, is a just and righteous claim.

Respectfully submitted,

D. E. SOULE,
JOHN KASE, Jr.,
Special Committee.

Jersey City, Oct. 5 1875.

(Alderman Wood appeared and took his seat.)

The Committee on Liquor Licenses reported the following resolutions on applications heretofore referred.

The reports were received and the resolutions disposed of as follows:

Resolved, That licenses be granted to the following named to keep restaurants at the following named places in Jersey City:

First District—Fredk. Servers, 176 Warren street; Wm. R. Lyon, 35 Grand street; P. F. Meschutt, 100 Montgomery street; L. Bailey, corner of Grand and Hudson streets; Wilhelmina Herche, 55 Essex street, and John McCann, 157 Essex street.

Second District—Otto Schubert, 8 Ivy Place; James Conheeny, Westervelt near Grand street; Michael O'Grady, corner of Grand street and Ivy Place; George Smith, 319 Warren street; street: Murphy & Myers, 194 and 196 Pavonia avenue; James Clear, 147 Morgan street: Patrick McNamara, 140 9th street; W. A. Martin, 223 Warren street; H.W. Harms, 317 Henderson street; Fredk. Scumann, corner 1st and Greene streets.

Third District—James Caffrey, 297 Grand st.; Rudolph Schmidhausen, 336 3d street, Henry Mades, 298 Newark avenue; Michael O'Hara, 177 Bay street, and John D. Caufield, 326 Third street.

Fourth District—John Hollman, 128 Beacon avenue; Terence Collins, 118 Beacon avenue; John Feiler, 331 Palisade avenue; John Sander, 394 St. Paul's avenue; John H. Woesthoff, 433 Central avenue; John Barr, 804 Newark avenue; Fred. Becker, 403 Palisade avenue; August M. D. Peterson, corner Palisade avenue and Franklin street; Stephen Kessler, 457 Central avenue.

Fifth District.—John J. Gaffney, corner Montgomery street and Westside avenue.

Sixth District.—Charles H. Wilson, Bergen Plank Road, near Neptune avenue.

The resolution was adopted by the following vote, the ayes and nays having been ordered and taken:

Yeas—All the members present, 10 in number.

Resolved, That the following restaurant licenses be transferred:

No 57, Fred. Behrens to Louis Muller; No. 607, E. C. Muller to Fred'k Schwratz, cor. South street and Pearce avenue, Fourth District; No. 610, John Smith to John J. Morris.

The resolution was adopted.

The Committee on Streets reported the following resolution on petitions referred to said Committee September 21, 1875:

Resolved, That permission is hereby granted to the following named to erect signs as follows: St. John's T. A. B. Society in front of their hall in Gregory street; to Henry A. Booraem, in front of premises No. 116 Newark avenue; and to Frederick Buch, to erect an awning in front of his dry goods store, 712 Newark avenue.

The report was received and the resolution adopted.

The Committee on Trade Licenses reported the following resolutions on applications heretofore referred:

The reports were received and the resolutions disposed of as follows;

Resolved, That licenses to vend meat, fish, fruit and vegetables from a wagon, cart or other vehicle in Jersey City be issued by the Mayor and city clerk under the corporate seal of the city, to John Murphy and James McHugh, on their paying the license fees.

Resolved, That licenses to vend any other merchandise (than and excepting meat, fish, fruit, vegetables, kindling wood, cigars and tobacco) from a wagon, cart or other vehicle in Jersey City be issued by the Mayor and city clerk under the corporate seal of the city to the following named on their paying the license fees:

George Ortner, F. Barkhauser, John Sullivan, Benj. S. Clark, W. R. Lieb, George T. Robins, Henry Hardekopf, C. T. Erhard and T. S. Conklin.

Resolved, That the following trade licenses be transferred:

From W. J. McKenney to Robert Gilleland to vend meat, fish, fruit and vegetables.

From Michael Connaughton, merchandise, to John Murphy to vend meat, fish, fruit and vegetables.

From junk shop to vend meat, fish, fruit and vegetables in name of Patrick Lynch.

The resolutions were severally adopted.

AUDITING OF CLAIMS BY RESOLUTION.

The following resolutions were reported by the Committee on Public Grounds and Buildings in payment of claims presented at this meeting:

Resolved, That the sum of $30 be paid to Dodd & Brown for repairing chimney on building occupied by the Overseer of the Poor.

Resolved, That sum of $48 be paid to John Fitzpatrick for services as keeper of Washington Square for Sept. 1875.

Resolved, That the sum of $48 be paid to John Higgings for services as keeper of Hamilton Square for Sept. 1875.

Resolved, That the sum of $48 be paid to Michael Kerrigan for services as keeper of Hamilton square for Sept. 1875.

Resolved, That the sum of $48 be paid to Thomas McCullough for services as keeper of Van Vorst square for Sept. 1875.

The resolutions were adopted.

On motion of Alderman McLaughlin the Board took a recess for five minutes.

(Alderman Meyer retired).

On reassembling the following resolutions were reported by the Committee on Printing, Stationery and Supplies in payment of claims referred Sept. 21, 1875.

Resolved, That a warrant be drawn on the city treasurer in favor of J. W. Harrison for $66.75 for stationery and binding for City Clerk's office from April 13 to June 22, 1875.

Resolved, That the sum of $200 be paid to McAvoy Bros. for 200 badges for venders employers.

Resolved, That the sum of $9.87 be paid to Muldoon & Harrison for repairing wagon for Overseer of the Poor.

Resolved, That the sum of $65 be paid to Spielman & Brush for correcting insurance maps of Jersey City for year ending August 31, 1875

The resolutions were adopted.

MISCELLANEOUS BUSINESS.

Resolutions were presented, received and disposed of as follows:

By Alderman Helms and adopted:

Resolved, That the Board of Public Works be requested to cause the contractor who constructed the drain in front of School-house No. 8 to restore the curb and gutter to its former condition.

By Aldermen Helms and adopted:

Resolved, That the Board of Public Works be requested to cause additional railing or fencing to be placed on either side of the bridge on Palisade avenue over Ravine Road for the better protection of life and property.

By Alderman McLaughlin, and adopted:

Resolved, That the Corporation Counsel be requested to furnish his written opinion as to the power of the Board of Aldermen, under the existing city ordinance and law of the State, to license under said ordinance a resident of the city to peddle goods not the growth, product or manufacture of this State.

By Alderman McLaughlin, and adopted:

Resolved, That permission be granted to Ball & Winter to remove the flagstones and replace the same with Belgian block at the entrances to their factory, corner Grove and Thirteenth streets.

The following entitled ordinance was presented by Alderman McLaughlin, and the same was received, laid upon the table, and ordered to be printed on slips for the use of the Board, viz:

"An ordinance concerning the removal of iron rails from the public streets."

On motion of Alderman Brown the Board proceeded to the appointment of a City Weigher and Measurer.

Michael Hurley was nominated by Alderman Brown,

A balloting was had as follows:

Aldermen McLaughlin and Kase acted as Tellers.

Michael Hurley received nine (9) votes and was declared appointed a City Weigher and Measurer.

Alderman Kase, chairman of the Committee on Laws and Ordinances, returned to the Board the communication referred to said Committee August 3, 1873, of A. S. Cloke, Attorney for Philip Becker, giving notice of the settlement of the west wall of the City Hall.

Alderman McLaughlin moved, "That the communication be referred to the Committee on Public Grounds and Buildings."

Alderman Van Cleef moved "That the communication be referred to a special committee of three."

The motion by Alderman Van Cleef was adopted by the following vote, the yeas and nays having been ordered and taken on the call of the President:

Yeas—Aldermen Helms, Kase, Soule, Van Cleef and Wood.

Nays—President Harrison and Aldermen Brown, McLaughlin and White.

On motion of Aldermen McLaughlin the Board then adjourned.

JOHN E. SCOTT, City Clerk.

Regular meeting at the Aldermanic Chamber, City Hall, Tuesday, Oct. 19th, 1875, at 7:30 o'clock P. M.

Present—All the members of the Board.

The minutes of the regular meeting of the 5th inst., were approved as printed in manual form on motion of Alderman McLaughlin.

PRESENTATION OF PETITIONS, ETC.

Petitions, etc., were presented, received and disposed of as follows:

Invitation to attend the annual review of the Fire Department from City Hall, on Wednesday, the 20th inst., at 3:30 o'clock P. M. Accepted.

Invitation from Board of Police Commissioners to attend annual inspection of Police Department from City Hall on Wednesday, the 13th inst., at 4 o'clock P. M.

(The city clerk announced that notices had been sent at the proper time).

Ordered filed.

Petition of E. H. Durant, owner, for permission to erect an awning in front of store Nos. 103 and 105 Montgomery street.

Referred to Committee on Streets.

Petition of Charles E. Fisher, tenant, and Henry A. Booraem, owner, for permisssion to keep and maintain the sign post at present erected in front of premises 116 Newark avenue.

Granted, on motion of Alderman Smith.

Petition of Jacob Wagner for permission to erect a storm door outside of house corner Bergen avenue and Montgomery street, to extend three feet beyond building line.

Granted, on motion of Alderman Kase.

Communication from D. W. Benjamin and others, oyster dealers, calling attention to the peddling of oysters and clams by parties without license.

Referred to Committee on Laws and Ordinances.

Petition of Julia Mager for permission to erect a sign over sidewalk in front of premises No. 111 Franklin street.

Granted, on motion of Alderman Powell.

Petition of G. P. Howell, agent, and William Munzing, tenant, for permission to erect a barber's pole in front of premises No. 571 Newark avenue.

Granted, on motion of Alderman Powell.

Petition of John Fried for permission to erect an awning in front of premises No. 554 Grand street.

Granted, on motion of Alderman Van Cleef.

Communication from Thomas H. Spivey, setting forth that notwithstanding the resolution of Sept. 7th, the public pound on Jefferson avenue has not been removed

Referred to Committee on Laws and Ordinances.

Petition of John M. Hughes for permission to move a house from 205 Newark avenue to 81 Bright street, through Jersey avenue, from Newark avenue to Bright street.

Referred to Committee on Streets.

Communication from J. P. Daly concerning trestle work of Pennsylvania Railroad Company.

Referred to Committee on Streets, on motion of Alderman Smith.

For transfer of restaurant licenses:

Hugh Flynn, No. 512 to 687 Montgomery street, Fifth District; Charles Murphy, No. 39 to John T. Everett, 43 Water street, Fifth District; Adolph Laine, No. 514 to John Moylan, 332 Palisade avenue, Fourth District.

John J. Morris, No. 540, to Miles Morris, 150 Philip street, Sixth District.

Henry Fischer, No. 528, to John Popke, 635 Communipaw avenue, Sixth District; John Curtin, No. 426, to Jacob Meyer.

Granted, on motion of Alderman McLaughlin.

For Restaurant Licenses:

First District—Mary Tobias, 90 York street; John C. Hopkins, Jr., 40 Montgomery street; John C. Hopkins, Jr., 20 and 22 Exchange Place.

Second District—Mrs. Julia Roberts, 522 Henderson street; John Dunn, Grand near Woodward street; Wm. Pittschau, 453 Henderson street; John N. Roes, corner Grove and 12th streets; Jacob Wagner, 490 Grove street.

Fourth District—Frederick Knipping, corner Summit avenue and South street; John Kemp, 812 Newark avenue.

Fifth District—Hugh Waterson, 376 to 380 Bergen avenue; John Rotger, Communipaw near Bergen avenue; Fred. W. Schroeder, 523 Newark avenue.

Sixth District—Augustus Thau, Schutzen Park, Bergen avenue; John Dunn, Bergen Point Plank Road, near Cartaret avenue; Geo. Seebach, Factory Lane, near Bergen avenue; Mrs. Margaret McMahon, 95 Jackson avenue.

Referred to Committee on Liquor Licenses.

For Trade Licenses—to vend meat, fish, fruit and vegetables—Patrick Gallagher, Thomas McPartland, Dawson Roberts, Warden Johnson, and L. Stage.

To vend merchandise—James McGrandle, R. Bealiski, Joseph Handley, B. F. Mosier, James Rankin and John Schmidt.

Public porters—Peter O'Connell, Richard T. Donovan, and Charles Nelson

Referred to Committee on Trade Licenses.

PRESENTATION OF CLAIMS.

Claims were presented, received and disposed of as follows:

William Allen, $17.30, $6.20 and $6.

Referred to Committee on Alms.

The Argus $78, Peter Dalton, Jr., $27.30, Hugh F. McDermott $56.40, P. Nicholas $80.25 and $12.50.

Referred to Committee on Printing, Stationery and Supplies.

OFFICERS' COMMUNICATIONS.

An opinion from W. A. Lewis, Esq., Corporation Counsel, on petition referred to said officer Sept. 21, 1875, of Smith Mead, for permission to remove the marble mantel from old hose house No. 4, now used as office of Overseer of the Poor, was presented, setting forth that in his opinion the Board of Fire Commissioners have control of the building, and recommending a reference to said Board of the petition, together with a copy of counsel's communication for such action thereon as the facts may justify, &c.

Referred to Committee on Laws and Ordinances, on motion of Alderman Van Cleef.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

The Committee on Liquor Licenses reported the following resolutions on applications referred to said Committee on the 5th inst.

The reports were received and the resolutions disposed of as follows:

Resolved, That licenses be granted to the following named to keep restaurants at the following named places in Jersey City.

First District—Patrick Baxter, 50 York st.; James Alexander, 262 Warren st.; Cooper & Martin, 11 Exchange place; John C. Allen, 147 Hudson st.; P. H. Carling, 143 Newark ave.

Second District—Joseph Bauer, 250 Monmouth st.; Thomes Reilly, 350 1st st.; William Golden, 28 1st st.; Patrick McGovern, Grand street, opposite Pacific ave.; Timothy Lane, 136 Steuben st.; Patrick Joyce, 150 Steuben st.; H. Steffens, 358 1st st.

Third District—John J. Quinn, 251 Grove st.; John Kelly, 183 Morgan st.; John S. Reehill, 434 Grove st.; F. X. Hittensperger, 173 Newark ave.; James M. Blaney, 142 Newark ave.

Fourth District—Louis Kliesewetter, 445 Palisade ave.; Victoria Sauer, Newark ave. near James st.; John M. Schreck, cor. Palisade ave. and Ferry st.; Adam Siegfried, cor. South st. and New York ave.; John Fincke cor. Webster ave. and Congress st.

Sixth District—John N. Stucke, 377 Varick st.; Annie Scanlon, cor. Varick st. and Railroad ave.; Michael Hennessey, 242 Wayne st.; M. Richardson & Bros., Grand near Vreeland st.; Philip Landmesser, 299 Grand st.

Resolved, That the following described restaurant licenses be transferred: No. 635, John Commendinger to 112 Brunswick street, Second District.

No. 486, Daniel Kelly, to 181, Fourteenth street Second District.

No. 253, Marx Hoff, to 253 Railroad avenue, Second District

No. 364, From G. H. Seigenthaler, to Julius Henn.

The resolutions were severally adopted by the following vote, the yeas and nays having been ordered and taken:

Yeas—All the members of the Board.

The Committee on Streets, to whom was referred on the 5th inst the resolution adopted September 21, 1875, by the Board of Public Works, "that in the opinion of said Board, it would be just that the expense of paving the southerly one-half of Grand street from Jersey avenue to Grove street, and the northerly one half of said street, lying at or near its intersection with Bright street, should be borne by the city at large, and paid by general tax, presented an adverse report thereon, recommending the adoption of the following resolution:

Resolved, That the resolution adopted by the Board of Public Works Sept. 21, 1875, that, in the opinion of said Board, it would be just that the expense of paving certain portions of Grand street should be borne by the city at large, and paid by general tax, be not concurred in by the Board of Aldermen.

The report was received, and the resolution adopted.

The Committee on Streets reported the following resolution on petitions referred to said Committee on the 5th inst.:

Resolved, That permission be granted to the several owners hereinafter named to erect signs and awnings in front of premises, to wit:

Bailey, Lang & Co., sign over sidewalk corner of Warren and Morgan streets.

M. Cirker, sign over sidewalk, 318 Fifth street.

Ann Dougherty, awning over sidewalk, 43 Fairmount avenue.

The report was received, and the resolution adopted.

The Committee on Streets, to whom was referred on the 5th inst. the petition of M. F. Marshall for permission to erect an awning to house, corner of Brunswick and Third streets, presented an adverse report thereon for the reason that the petition is not signed by the owner.

The report was received and adopted.

The Committee on Trade Licenses reported the following resolutions on applications referred to said committee on the 5th inst:

The reports were received and the resolutions disposed of as follows:

Resolved, That licenses to vend meat, fish, fruit and vegetables from a wagon, cart or other vehicle in Jersey City, be issued by the Mayor and City Clerk under the corporate seal of the city to the following named, on their paying the license fees:

August Paris, Patrick Carroll, George Barber, John Golden and William Campbell.

Resolved, That a license to vend kindling wood from a wagon, cart or other vehicle in Jersey City, be issued by the Mayor and City Clerk under the corporate seal of the city, to Robert Miller, on his paying the license fees.

Resolved, That licenses to vend any other merchandise than and excepting meat, fish, fruit, vegetables, kindling wood, cigars and tobacco, from a wagon, cart or other vehicle in Jersey City, be issued by the Mayor and City Clerk under the corporate seal of the city, to the following named, on their paying the license fess:

John Brunni, Carl Bergenhoff, Henry Pollitz, W. Levy and Alfred Barton.

Resolved, That the applications of William Thompson for licenses to vend merchandise be refused and the sum of thirty dollars be paid to him to refund three license fees deposited by him Sept. 11, 1875.

Resolved, That the application of John Norton for a license as a public porter be refused and that the sum of five dollars be paid to him to refund license fee deposited Sept. 14, 1875.

The resolutions were severally adopted.

AUDITING OF CLAIMS BY RESOLUTION.

The following resolutions were reported by Committees in payment of claims heretofore referred:

By Committee on Baths and Armories:

Resolved, That the sum of $190 83 be paid to N. B. Shafer for rent of armory for August, 1875.

Resolved, That the sum of $190.83 be paid to N. B Shafer for rent of armory for Sept. 1875.

By Committee on Printing, Stationery and Supplies:

Resolved, That the sum of $131.60 be paid to Hudson County German Publishing Association for publishing ordinances and notices from July 3 to Sept. 11, 1875.

Resolved, That the sum of $59.25 be paid to McAvoy Bros., for stationery furnished to Overseer of the Poor.

Resolved That the sum of $103.10 be paid to James Ray, for storing, repairing and cleaning stoves from different offices in the City Hall.

The resolutions were adopted.

MISCELLANEOUS BUSINESS.

Alderman Van Cleef moved "That the Board proceed to the appointment of a City Marshal."

Alderman McLaughlin moved "That the motion be laid upon the table."

The motion to table was rejected by the following vote, the yeas and nays having been ordered and taken on the call of the President:

Yeas — President Harrison and Aldermen Brown, McLaughlin, Soule and White.

Nays—Aldermen Helms, Kase, Meyer, Powell, Smith, Van Cleef and Wood.

The motion made by Alderman Van Cleef was adopted by the following vote, the yeas and, nays having been ordered and taken on the call of the President:

Yeas—Aldermen Helms, Kase, Meyer, Powell Smith, Soule and Van Cleef

Nays President Harrison and Aldermen Brown, McLaughlin, White and Wood.

A. W. Marinus was nominated by Alderman Soule.

John Scanlon was nominated by Alderman Van Cleef.

John McHale was nominated by Alderman Powell

John O'Neill was nominated by Alderman White.

Timothy Long was nominated by Alderman Brown.

John Brady was nominated by Alderman Wood.

Five ballotings were had as follows, no choice being effected. Aldermen Soule and Van Cleef acted as tellers:

BALLOTINGS.	Votes. 1	3	4	5
A. W. Marinus	2	1	0	0
John Scanlon	3	4	5	5
John McHale	2	2	2	2
John O'Neill	1	1	1	1
Timothy Long	2	2	2	2
John Brady	2	2	2	2

The second balloting was declared null and void, there being more ballots cast than members present After the second balloting Alderman McLaughlin moved "That the Board do now adjourn."

The motion was rejected by the following vote, the yeas and nays having been ordered and taken on the call of the President:

Yeas—Aldermen Brown, McLaughlin, and White.

Nays—President Harrison, and Aldermen Helms, Kase, Meyer, Powell, Smith, Soule, Van Cleef, and Wood.

After the fourth balloting Alderman White moved "That the Board do now adjourn."

The motion was rejected by the following vote, the yeas and nays having been ordered and taken on the call of the President:

Yeas—Aldermen Brown, Helms, McLaughlin, White, and Wood.

Nays—President Harrison, and Aldermen Kase, Meyer, Powell, Smith, Soule, and Van Cleef.

After the fifth balloting, Alderman Powell moved,

"That the Board do now adjourn."

The motion was adopted by the following vote, the yeas and nays having been ordered and taken on the call of the President:

Yeas—President Harrison and Aldermen Brown, Helms, McLaughlin, Meyer, Powell, White and Wood.

Nays—Aldermen Kase, Smith, Soule and Van Cleef

Whereupon, the President declared the Board adjourned.

JOHN E. SCOTT, City Clerk.

Regular meeting at the Aldermanic Chamber, City Hall, Tuesday, Nov. 2, 1875, at 7:30 o'clock P. M.

Present—Aldermen Brown, Helms, and White.

Absent—President Harrison, and Aldermen Kase, McLaughlin, Meyer, Powell, Smith, Soule Van Cleef, and Wood.

Less than a quorum being present, on motion of Alderman Brown the Board adjourned.

JOHN E. SCOTT, City Clerk.

Regular meeting at the Aldermanic Chamber, City Hall, Tuesday, November 9th, 1875, at 7½ o'clock P. M.

Present—All the members of the Board.

The minutes of the regular meetings of Oct. 19th, and Nov. 2, 1875, were approved as printed in manual form on motion of Alderman McLaughlin.

PRESENTATION OF PETITIONS, ETC.

Petitions, etc., were presented, received and disposed of as follows:

Petition of John Coyle for permission to place a sign over the sidewalk in front of his premises, No. 100 Montgomery street.

Granted on motion of Alderman White.

Petition of B. Lauckner for permission to place a sign across the sidewalk in front of his store, 375 Palisade avenue.

Granted on motion of Alderman Powell.

Petition of James Toner for permission to erect an awning in front of his premises, southwest corner of Sherman avenue and South street.

Granted on motion of Alderman Powell.

Petition of Bridget Hannon, owner, and M. F. Marsnall, tenant, for permission to erect an awning corner of Brunswick and 3d streets, and to occupy one-half of 3d street for building purposes.

Granted on motion of Alderman White.

Petition of B. Walsh for permission to erect a sign over the sidewalk in front of 136 Montgomery street.

Granted on motion of Alderman Van Cleef.

Petition of John D. Meyer and A. Ingwersen, for permission to erect a sign over the sidewalk, in front of 34 Montgomery street.

Granted on motion of Alderman Wood.

Petition of C. Cowper, owner, and R. W. Moore, tenant, for permission to erect a sign post in front of 185 Pine street.

Granted on motion of Alderman Van Cleef.

Petition of Thomas Brassell and others for the passage of an ordinance to prevent the pound keepers from receiving animals from minors, or between sunset and sunrise.

Referred to the Committee on Laws and Ordinances.

Petition of the North Hudson County Railway Company for permission to lay a track through Palisade avenue, from Ferry street to Hoboken avenue, with a side track through Jefferson avenue, &c.

Alderman McLaughlin moved "That the petition be referred to the Committee on Laws and Ordinances."

Alderman Powell moved "that the petition be laid on the table."

The motion to table was adopted by the following vote, the yeas and nays having been ordered and taken at the call of the President

Yeas—Aldermen Helms, McLaughlin, Meyer, Powell Smith, Soule, White and Wood.

Nays—President Harrison and Aldermen Brown, Kase, and Van Cleef.

For Restaurant Licenses:

First District—Patrick Gorman, 199 Washington street; Henry White, 227 Grand street; Jake Berry, 30 Newark avenue.

Second District—Martin Kelly & Bro., 562 Grove street; Mrs. C. Lennon, 150 Ninth street.

Third District—Sarah J. McLean, 220 Railroad avenue.

Fourth District—B. H. Lulken, corner Oakland and Jefferson avenues; Timothy Redding, 46 Beacon avenue, James Pallister, corner Beacon and Central avenues; A. B. Cosgrove, 705 Newark avenue; Andrew Scanlan, Hutton st., between Summit and Grand avenues.

Sixth District—N. D. Taylor, "Idle Hour," Greenville; Christian Titus, Pamrapo av nue and old Bergen Railroad; John Bayer, corner Ocean and Atlantic streets.

Referred to Committee on Liquor Licenses.

For Transfer of Restaurant Licenses:

John Sauer, No. 390 to Nicholas Werther; Wilhelmina Herche, No. 730 to Richard O'Donnell, 208 Railroad avenue 3d district; Wm. Todd, No. 491 to 20 Bright street, 1st District; Albert Kametzny No. 492 to Sylvester Byrne.

Granted on motion of Alderman McLaughlin.

For Trade Licenses:

To vend meat, fish, fruit and vegetables.—Michael Hughes, James McAleeney, Thomas Maguire, Jacob Kiefer, Wm. Timon and John N. Rapp.

To vend merchandise—William Mittlesdorf, Isaac Vilsky, Thomas Andres, B. Kane and John Germun.

For Public Porters — Wm. Dorsch, Bryan Smith, Lawrence Connin, and Chas S. Nichols.

Referred to Committee on Trade Licenses.

For Transfer of Trade Licenses:

Jacob Cimmer, to vend meat, etc., to Philip Hepsley; John Hunt, to vend meat, etc., to Wm. Kern; James Gregory, to vend meat, etc., to Samuel McCarthy; Thomas Hannon, to vend meat, etc., to William Seaman: Theodore Joergens, to vend merchandise, to Diedrich Oldenburg; Thomas Greany from meat, etc., to merchandise.

Referred to Committee on Trade Licenses.

PRESENTATION OF CLAIMS.

Claims were presented, received and disposed of follows:

Of George E. Cutter, $12 55; William Hughes, $60; Richard R. Rankin: $9.10 and $12.32

Referred to Committee on Alms.

Mary C. Pratt, $100 and $100.

Referred to Committee on Baths and Armories.

Hudson Ice Company, $37.95; Wm. McAvoy, $13; Hugh F. McDermott. $35.30; Pangborn, Dunning and Dear $67 20.

Referred to Committee on Printing, Stationery and Supplies.

John Fitzpatrick, $48 and $48; John Higgins, $48; and Michael Kerrigan, $48.

Referred to Committee on Public Grounds and Buildings.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

The Committee on Laws and Ordinances, to whom was referred, September 21, 1875, the petition and plan of the North Hudson County Railway Company, for permission to lay a turnout in Grove street for experimental purposes &c., presented a report recommending the adoption of the following resolution:

Resolved, That permission be granted to the North Hudson County Railway Company to lay one turnout in Grove street, as shown on plan presented with petition September 21, 1875, for the purpose of giving the same a fair trial, this Board reserving the right to cause its removal if deemed expedient.

The report was received,

The resolution was adopted by the following vote, the yeas and nays having been ordered and taken on the call of the President:

Yeas—President Harrison and Aldermen Brown, Helms, Kase, Meyer, Smith, Soule, Van Cleef and White.

Nays—Aldermen McLaughlin, Powell, and Wood.

The Committee on Liquor Licenses reported the following resolution on applications heretofore referred:

Resolved, That licenses be granted to the following named to keep restaurants at the following named places in Jersey City:

First District—Mary Tobias, 90 York street; John C. Hopkins, Jr., 40 Montgomery street: John C. Hopkins, Jr., 20 and 22 Exchange place.

Second District—Mrs. Julia Roberts, 522 Henderson street; John Dunn, Grand near Woodward street; William Pittschau, 452 Henderson street; John N. Roes, corner Grove and 12th street; Jacob Wagner, 490 Grove street.

Fourth District—Frederick Knipping, corner Summit avenue and South street; John Kemp, 812 Newark avenue.

Fifth District—Hugh A. Waterson, 376, 378 and 380 Bergen avenue; John Rotger, Communipaw near Bergen ave.; Frederick W. Schroeder, 523 Newark avenue.

Sixth District—Augustus Thau, Schutzen Park, Bergen avenue; John Dunn, Bergen Point Plank Road near Cartaret avenue: George Seebach, Factory Line near Bergen avenue: Mrs. Margaret McMahon, 95 Jackson avenue.

The report was received.

The resolution was adopted by the following

vote, the yeas and nays having been ordered and taken on the call of the President:

Yeas—All the members of the Board.

The Committee on Streets to whom was referred August 3, 1875, the communication from the Board of Fire Commissioners of inquiry as to whether the resolution of July 6, 1875, gave Patrick Dowling permission to remove a frame building, or permission to use the streets for that purpose, presented a report setting forth that the resolution referred to was intended to give permission to use the street only, &c.

The report was received and ordered filed.

The Committee on Trade Licenses reported the following resolutions on applications heretofore referred.

The reports were received and the resolutions disposed of as follows:

Resolved, That licenses to vend meat, fish, fruit and vegetables from a wagon, cart, or other vehicle in Jersey City, be issued by the Mayor and City Clerk, under the corporate seal of the city to the following named, on their paying the license fees:

Warden Johnson, Dawson Roberts, Thomas McPartland and Patrick Gallagher.

Resolved, That licenses to vend any other merchandise (than and excepting meat, fish, fruit, vegetables, kindling wood, cigars and tobacco) from a wagon, cart, or other vehicle in Jersey City, be issued by the Mayor and City Clerk, under the corporate seal of the city, to the following named on their paying the license fees:

John Schmidt, James Rankin, B. F. Mosher, Joseph Hadley, R. Bealoski and James McGrandle.

Resolved, That licenses as Public Porters be issued by the Mayor and City Clerk under the corporate seal of the city to the following named on their paying the license fees:

Charles Nelson, Richard T. Donovan and Peter O'Connell.

Resolved, That permission be granted to L. Stage to withdraw his petition for a license to vend meat, fish, &c., and that the sum of $10 be paid him to refund license fee deposited Oct. 15, 1875.

The resolutions were adopted.

On motion of Alderman McLaughlin it was

Resolved, That a license as a public porter be issued to Charles S. Nichols, as petitioned for at this meeting.

Auditing of claims by resolution.

The following resolutions were reported by committees in payment of claims heretofore referred.

By Committee on Alms:

Resolved, That the sum of $26.04 be paid to H. H. Brinkerhoff, for groceries for outdoor poor from Feb. 1 to May 1, 1875.

Resolved, That the sum of $47 be paid to John B. Haight, for groceries for outdoor poor from June 4 to August 14, 1875.

Resolved, That the sum of $34.80 be paid to James Hunt, for meat for out door from May 18 to August 14, 1875.

Resolved, That the sum of $14 be paid to James Hunt for groceries for out door poor, from May 18 to August 14, 1875.

Resolved, That the sum of $51.25 be paid to Michael O'Grady, for groceries for outdoor poor from Feb. 20 to Aug. 19, 1875.

Resolved, That the sum of $103.50 be paid to F. Schober, for meat for outdoor poor from May 1 to July 26, 1875.

By Committee on Printing, Stationery and Supplies:

Resolved, That the sum of $66.40 be paid to Hugh F. McDermott for advertising notices and ordinances from July 10 to August 14, 1875.

Resolved, That the sum of $80.20 be paid to Patrick Nicholas for coal and wood for City Hall.

Resolved, That the sum of $12.50 be paid to P. Nicholas for coal and wood for Overseer of the Poor.

The resolutions were adopted.

The following resolutions were reported by Committees in payment of claims presented at this meeting:

By Committee on Alms:

Resolved, That the sum of $60 be paid to William Hughes for coffins and wagon hire for burial of out-door poor from July 24 to Oct. 2, 1875.

Resolved, That the sum of $12 32 be paid to Richard R. Ranken for services as Justice of the Peace in abandonment cases.

Resolved, That the sum of $9.10 be paid to Richard R. Ranken for services as Justice of the Peace in abandonment cases.

By Committee on Public Grounds and Buildings:

Resolved, That the sum of $48 be paid to John Fitzpatrick for services as keeper of Washington Square for Oct. 1875.

Resolved, That the sum of $48 be paid to John Higgins for services as keeper of Hamilton Square for Oct. 1875.

Resolved, That the sum of $48 be paid to Michael Kerrigan for services as keeper of Van Vorst Square for Oct. 1875.

The resolutions were adopted.

MISCELLANEOUS BUSINESS.

On motion of Alderman Brown the Board proceeded to the appointment of city marshal to fill existing vacancy.

Timothy Long was nominated by Alderman Brown.

John Scanlon was nominated by Alderman Meyer.

A. W. Marinus was nominated by Alderman Kase.

Two (2) ballotings were had, which resulted as follows:

Aldermen Brown and Helms were appointed and acted as tellers.

First balloting—Timothy Long received six votes; John Scanlon received three votes; A. W. Marinus received three votes.

Second balloting—Timothy Long received seven votes; John Scanlon received two votes; A. W. Marinus received three votes.

Whereupon Timothy Long having received the requisite number of votes was declared appointed city marshal.

On motion of Alderman McLaughlin the communication presented October 5, 1875, from the Mayor nominating and appointing John Craven as a commissioner under the Ravine road sewer act, was taken from the table for consideration.

Alderman McLaughlin moved:

"That the nomination and appointment be confirmed."

Alderman Kase offered the following as an amendment:

Resolved, That in the opinion of this Board it will be to the best interest of the city that no action towards the appointment of a commissioner under the Ravine road sewer act be taken by this Board until after the next meeting of the Legislature, and that all further proceedings be postponed until that time.

The amendment was rejected by the following vote, the yeas and nays having been ordered and taken on the call of the President:

Yeas—President Harrison and Aldermen Helms, Kase, Meyer, Powell and Soule.

Nays—Aldermen Brown, McLaughlin, Smith, Van Cleef, White and Wood.

The original motion to confirm was rejected by the following vote the yeas and nays having been ordered and taken on the call of the President:

Yeas—Aldermen Brown, McLaughlin, Smith, Van Cleef and White.

Nays—President Harrison, and Aldermen Helms, Kase, Meyer, Powell, Soule and Wood.

The following resolution was offered by Alderman Soule and adopted:

Resolved, That warrants be drawn on the City Treasurer in favor of the following named for payment of salaries for October, 1875:

John E. Scott, City Clerk	$250 00
John E. Hewitt, Overseer of the Poor	83 34

The following resolution was offered by Alderman Kase and adopted:

Resolved, That permission be granted to H. Auerforth to place a lamp-post in front of his premises, 427 Palisade avenue, as petitioned for October 5, 1875, provided the lamp is lighted at no expense to the city.

The following resolution was offered by Alderman White and adopted:

Resolved, That the Committee on Public Grounds and Buildings are hereby authorized to cause all the new settees in the public parks

to be stored in the bath house in Mercer street until the spring of 1876.

The following entitled ordinance was presented by Alderman Kase, and the same was received, laid upon the table and ordered to be printed on slips for the use of the Board, viz:

"An ordinance amendatory to the ordinance entitled 'An ordinance regulating the driving of cattle through the streets of Jersey City,' passed August 1, 1871."

On motion of Alderman Brown the Board then adjourned.

JOHN E. SCOTT,
City Clerk.

Regular meeting at the Aldermanic Chamber, City Hall, Tuesday, November 16, 1875, at 7:30 o'clock, P. M.

Present—President Harrison and Aldermen Brown, Helms, Kase, McLaughlin, Meyer, Soule, Van Cleef, White and Wood.

Absent—Aldermen Powell and Smith.

The minutes of the regular meeting of the 9th inst. were approved as printed in manual form on motion of Alderman McLaughlin.

PRESENTATION OF PETITIONS, ETC.

Petitions, etc., were presented, received and disposed of as follows:

Petition of E. H. Durant, owner, for permission to erect an awning in front of store Nos. 103 and 105 Montgomery street.

Granted on motion of Alderman White.

Petition of Wm. McCarty for permission to erect sign in front of 949 Summit avenue.

Granted on motion of Alderman Helms.

Petition of Casper Halbig for permission to erect a sign over sidewalk in front of his premises, 161 New York avenue.

Granted on motion of Alderman Helms.

For restaurant Licenses—

First District—James Gorman, 101 Morris st.; Michael Duffy, cor. Barrow and Grand sts; Michael Duffy, 121 Newark ave.

Second District—Alice McCarthy, 281 Newark ave.

Third District—John Brown, 171 7th st.

Fourth District—James Kane, 146 Beacon avenue.

Fifth District—Thomas Cummings, 43 Water ave.

Sixth District—Joseph N. Smith, cor. Washington and Atlantic ave; Patrick H. Tealing, Communipaw ave. and Sackett st.; James McHugh, Fulton near Ocean ave.; Henry Jackens, cor. Oak st. and Jackson ave.; Henry Klaproth, cor. Pacific and Johnston aves.

Referred to Committee on Liquor Licenses.

For transfer of Restaurant Licenses—

No. 14, John Connors to 374 Second st., 2d District.

No. 384, John Flavel to 221½ Railroad ave., 2d District.

No. 397, John Costigan to 480 First st., 2d District.

No. 29, Thomas Quinlan to cor. 9th and Brunswick sts., 2d District.

Granted on motion of Alderman McLaughlin.

For trade licences:

As public porters—John O'Keefe and James Artis.

To vend meat, fish, fruit and vegetables:

Daniel Thompson and Hiram Holen.

To vend merchandise:

William Buddenbaum.

Granted on motion of Alderman McLaughlin.

For transfer of trade licenses:

Louis Hesler, junk shop, from 541 Newark avenue to 513 Newark avenue.

George Griffiths, junk shop, from 73 Bruns street to corner 9th and Brunswick streets.

Granted on motion of Alderman McLaughlin.

James O'Hare for transfer to him of license of Patrick Gallagher to vend meat, etc.

Referred to Committee on Trade Licenses.

PRESENTATION OF CLAIMS.

Claims were presented, received and disposed of as follows:

Of Edward Hope, Jr., $10.

Referred to Committee on Alms.

Of G. P. Howell, agent, $250; N. B. Shafer, $190.83, and Bergen Library Association, $100.

Referred to Committee on Baths and Armories.

Of The Argus, $20.50, and of O'Mara Bros., $123.50.

Referred to Committee.

On Printing, Stationery and Supplies.

OFFICERS' COMMUNICATIONS.

The following opinion from the Corporation Counsel was presented, received and ordered filed:

Jersey City, N. J., Nov. 15, 1875,

To the Honorable the Board of Aldermen:

Gentlemen:—As required by your Board I submit opinion as follows upon the question raised by the resolution of your Board, to wit:

"Resolved, That the Corporation Counsel be requested to furnish his written opinion as to the power of the Board of Aldermen under the existing city ordinance and law of the State to license under said ordinance a resident of the city to peddle goods not the growth, product or manufacture of this State."

In other words has the Board power to license a citizen of Jersey City to peddle within the corporate limits of the city, Havana cigars, New Orleans molasses, coffees, teas and spices, pies made in New York and bread of Genesee wheat?

The Board unquestionably has the power thus to license.

Very respectfully, &c.

WM. A. LEWIS,
Corporation Counsel.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

The Committee on Finance, to whom were heretofore referred the several claims of Michael Donovan, pound-keeper, for impounding and killing dogs from July 15 to October 1, 1875, presented a report thereon, setting forth that the claims amount to $504, for which Donovan claims to have killed 608 dogs, an average of over 10 dogs every day during the time, including Sundays, the report stating that from information received the committee are convinced that the pound-keeper has been imposed upon, or else does not realize the importance of taking the oath annexed to each claim when he swore to its correctness, and recommending an allowance of $150 in full, for services rendered, including the sum of $112 already paid, the following resolution accompanying the report:

Resolved, That the sum of thirty-eight dollars be paid to Michael Donovan, pound-keeper, in full settlement of all claims against the Mayor and Aldermen of Jersey City, for impounding, killing and removing dogs, from July 15 to October 1, 1875.

The report was received.

Alderman McLaughlin moved, "That the report and resolution be recommitted to the committee."

The motion was rejected by the following vote the yeas and nays having been ordered and taken on the call of Aldermen McLaughlin, Soule and Kase.

Yeas—Aldermen Kase, McLaughlin, Meyer and White.

Nays—President Harrison and Aldermen Brown, Helms, Soule, Van Cleef and Wood.

The resolution was then adopted by the following vote, the yeas and nays having been ordered and taken on the call of the President.

Yeas—President Harrison and Aldermen Brown, Helms, Soule, Van Cleef and Wood.

Nays—Aldermen Kase, McLaughlin, Meyer and White.

The Committee on Finance, to whom were heretofore referred the several claims of Edward Reilly, pound keeper, amounting to $408 dollars, for impounding and killing 816 dogs, from July 15 to October 1, 1875, presented a report therein setting forth that the committee do not desire to impugn the veracity of Mr. Reilly, but are willing to believe that he made some terrible mistake at the taking of the oaths to the several claims when presented, and that in their opinion the sum of $100 is amply sufficient to liberally pay Mr. Reilly for all services rendered, and recommending that the difference between said amount and $61, already paid, be allowed.

The following resolution accompanying the report:

Resolved, That the sum of thirty-nine dollars be paid to Edward Reilly, pound keeper, in full settlement of all claims against "The Mayor and Aldermen of Jersey City, for killing, impounding and removing dogs from July 15 to October 1, 1875.

The report was received.

The resolution was adopted by the following vote the yeas and nays having been ordered and taken on the call of the President.

Yeas—President Harrison and Aldermen Brown, Helms, Kase, Soule, Van Cleef and Wood.

Nays—Aldermen McLaughlin, Meyer and White.

The Committee on Liquor Licenses reported the following resolution on applications heretofore referred:

Resolved, That Licenses be granted to the

following named to keep restaurants at the following named places in Jersey City.

First District—Henry White. 227 Grand street; Jake Berry, 30 Newark avenue.

Second District—Martin Kelly & Bro., 562 Grove street; Mrs. C. Lennon, 150 9th street.

Third District—Sarah J. McLean, 220 Railroad avenue.

Fourth District—B. H. Lulken, corner Oakland and Jefferson avenues; Timothy Redding, 46 Beacon avenue; James Palister, corner Beacon and Central avenues; A. B. Cosgrove, 705 Newark avenue; Andrew Scanlon, Hutton street, between Summit and Grand avenues.

Sixth District—N. D. Taylor, Idle Hour, Greenville; Christian Titus, Pamrapo avenue near Old Bergen Road; John Bayer, corner Ocean avenue and Atlantic street.

The report was received.

The resolution was adopted by the following vote; the yeas and nays having been ordered and taken:

Yeas—All the members present—ten in number.

The Committee on Trade Licenses reported the following resolutions on applications heretofore referred:

The reports were received and the resolutions disposed of as follows:

Resolved, That licenses to vend meat, fish, fruit and vegetables, from a wagon, cart or other vehicle, in Jersey City, be issued by the Mayor and City Clerk, under the corporate seal of the city, to the following named on their paying the license fees:

Michael Hughes, James McIlhiney, Thomas McGuire, Jacob Kiefer, William Timon, John N. Rapp.

Resolved, That licenses to vend any other merchandise (than and excepting meat, fish, fruit, vegetables, kindling wood, cigars and tobacco), from a wagon, cart or other vehicle, in Jersey City, be issued by the Mayor and City Clerk, under the corporate seal of the city, to the following named on their paying the license fees:

William Mittelsdorf, Isaac Vilsky, Thomas Andreas, B Kane and John Germun.

Resolved, That licenses as public porters be issued by the Mayor and City Clerk, under the corporate seal of the city, to the following named on their paying the license fees.

William Disch, Bryan Smith and Lawrence Connin.

Resolved, That the following described trade licenses be transferred:

To vend meat, fish, fruit and vegetables—Jacob Cimmer to Philip Kern; John Gregory to William Hepsley; James Hunt to Samuel McCarthy; Thomas Hannon to William Seaman.

To vend merchandise—Theodore Joergens to Diedrich Oldenburg, and of Thomas Greany from vender of meat, fish, &c., to merchandise.

The resolutions were adopted.

AUDITING OF CLAIMS BY RESOLUTION.

The following resolutions were reported by the Committee on Printing, Stationery and Supplies in payment of claims heretofore referred:

Resolved, That the sum of $37.95 be paid to Hudson Ice Co. for ice furnished at City Hall from June 7 to Oct. 1, 1875.

Resolved, That a warrant be drawn on the City Treasurer in favor of McAvoy Bros. for $13 for stationery furnished to City Marshal Sept. 15, 1875.

Resolved, That the sum of $35.30 be paid to Hugh F. McDermott for advertising ordinances from Aug. 28 to Sept. 4, 1875.

Resolved, That the sum of $67.20 be paid to Pangborn, Dunning & Dear for advertising ordinances from August 11 to August 31, 1875.

The resolutions were adopted.

MISCELLANEOUS BUSINESS.

On motion of Alderman Kase the following entitled ordinance presented on the 9th inst., was taken from the table for consideration, viz.:

"An ordinance amendatory to the ordinance entitled, 'An ordinance regulating the driving of cattle through the streets of Jersey City,' passed August 1, 1871."

The ordinance was passed by the following vote, the yeas and nays having been ordered and taken:

Yeas — President Harrison and Aldermen Brown, Helms, Kase, McLaughlin, Meyer, Soule, Van Cleef, White and Wood.

Nays—None.

On motion of Alderman Kase the following entitled ordinance, presented October 5, 1875, was taken from the table for consideration, viz:

"An ordinance concerning the removal of iron rails from the public streets."

The ordinance was passed by the following vote, the yeas and nays having been ordered and taken:

Yeas—President Harrison and Aldermen Brown, Helms, Kase, McLaughlin, Meyer, Soule, Van Cleef, White and Wood.

Nays—None.

The following resolution was offered by Alderman Van Cleef and adopted:

Resolved, That the permiss on given to Bernard Hughes to excavate the surface rock in Washburn street be rescinded and that the city clerk be requested to notify said Bernard Hughes to stop work on said street forthwith, the said Hughes not having complied with the promises expressed in his petition of April 7, 1874.

The following resolution was offered by Alderman Wood:

Resolved, That the sum of one hundred dollars be paid to John Brady, for services as keeper of public bath for the month of October, 1875.

Alderman Kase moved that the resolution be laid upon the table.

The motion was adopted by the following vote, the yeas and nays having been ordered and taken on the call of the President:

Yeas—President Harrison and Aldermen Helms, Kase, Meyer, Soule and Van Cleef.

Nays—Aldermen Brown, McLaughlin, White and Wood.

The following resolution was offered by Alderman Wood.

Resolved, That the sum of one hundred dollass be paid to John Brady for services as Keeper of Public Bath for the month of September 1875.

Alderman Kase moved,

"That the resoluton be laid upon the table."

The motion was adopted by the following vote, the yeas and nays having been ordered any taken on the call of the President.

Yeas—All the members present—ten in number.

The following resolution was offered by Alderman Helms and adopted:

Resolved, That the sum of fifty dollars be paid to Margaret O'Hara and Mary Foster only heirs at law of George Deegan, in full for his services as City Marshal, during October 1875, in order that monies due several parties employed by said Deegan to help him in the discharge of his duties may be paid.

The following entitled ordinance was presented by Alderman Van Cleef, viz.:

"An ordinance to authorize the North Hudson County Railway Company to lay a single track of iron rails through the centre of Palisade avenue, from Ferry street to Hoboken avenue, and through the centre of Jefferson avenue to Oakland avenue."

Alderman Van Cleef moved—

"That the ordinance be laid upon the table and printed on slips for the use of the Board."

Alderman Helms moved as an amendment—

"That the ordinance be laid upon the table."

The amendment was adopted by the following vote, the yeas and nays having been ordered and taken on the call of the President;

Yeas—President Harrison and Aldermen Brown, Helms, McLaughlin, Meyer and Wood.

Nays—Alderman Kase, Soule, Van Cleef and White.

The following resolution was offered by Alderman Soule and adopted:

Resolved, That when this Board adjourns it will adjourn to meet at the Aldermanic Chamber on Tuesday, November 30, 1875, at 7:30 o'clock P. M.

On motion of Alderman Brown the Board then adjourned.

JOHN E. SCOTT, City Clerk.

Regular meeting at the Aldermanic Chamber, City Hall, Tuesday, November 30, 1875, at 7:30 o'clock, P. M.

In the absence of the President, the Board was called to order by the City Clerk.

Present—Aldermen Brown, Helms, Kase, McLaughlin, Powell, Smith, Van Cleef, White and Wood.

Absent—President Harrison and Aldermen Meyer and Soule.

On motion of Alderman Van Cleef, Alderman McLaughlin was appointed President pro tempore.

The minutes of the regular meeting of the 16th inst. were approved as printed in manual form on motion of Alderman Wood.

PRESENTATION OF PETITIONS, ETC.

Petitions, etc., were presented, received and disposed of as follows:

Petition of John McAndrew, contractor (by Peter Walsh), for permission to lay down a track on Summit avenue for a distance of two hundred and fifty (250) feet, from Jefferson avenue to intersect the track now laid in Hicks street or Reservoir Lane, for the purpose of carrying away the stone and refuse removed from said tunnel.

Granted on motion of Alderman Powell.

Petition of T. H. Spivey and others, to have removed Public Pound on Jefferson avenue.

Referred to Committee on Laws and Ordinances

Petition of A. Ingwerson, for removal of telegraph pole from in front of 47 Montgomery street.

Referred to Committee on Streets.

Petition of James H. Farrant, for permission to erect a sign in front of 589 Summit avenue.

Granted on motion of Alderman Powell

Petition of Cornelius Sullivan, for permission to erect an awning in front of his premises, Central and Laidlaw avenues.

Granted on motion of Alderman Van Cleef.

Petition of H. M. Traphagen, for permission to erect a sign in front of premises, 195 Pavonia avenue.

Granted on motion of Alderman Smith.

For restaurant licenses:

First District—William Reilly, 126 Essex street; Louis Peives, 34 Montgomery street; John Cahill, 70 Hudson street; Colahan & Turley, 97 Greene street.

Third District—John Reynolds, corner Sixth and Henderson streets.

Fourth District—Mary Louisan, 585 Central avenue; Thomas F. Cone, 654 Summit avenue.

Fifth District—Amelia Weber, Communipaw near Monticello avenue; H. Stoveken, 655 Newark avenue.

Sixth District—T. C. Moran, 147 Wayne street.

Referred to Committee on Liquor Licenses.

For transfer of restaurant licenses:

No. 101, James Gorman, to 57 Grand street, First district.

No. 703, F. L. Farrant, to 57 Laidlaw avenue, Fourth district.

Referred to Committee on Liquor Licenses.

For trade licenses:

To vend merchandise—Samuel Wright, Isaac Simon, Jacob Alexander and James Ruane.

As public porter—John Smith.

To vend meat, fish, fruit and vegetables—John Johnson, James Burns, Thomas Townsend and John Lenahan.

Referred to Committee on Trade Licenses.

For transfer of trade licenses:

To vend meat, etc.—from Robert Gilleland to James O'Hare.

To vend merchandise—from Samuel Wright to John O'Connell.

To keep junk shops—Of James Fitzgerald to 56 First street, Second district; Hugh Dunn, 33 Cornelison avenue, Fifth district.

Referred to Committee on Trade Licenses.

PRESENTATION OF CLAIMS.

Claims were presented, received and disposed of as follows:

Wm. Allen, $17.50, $18.80 and $17.50; Charles Banmesberger, $72.50 and, $53.50; Samuel M. Chambers, $23.27; H Coyle for estate of M. Brady, $100 and $80; A J. Hall, $15, Edward Hope, Jr., $45; Mrs. Sarah Hunt, $134.01; L. Munkel, $63.25; Anton Schick, $176.75.

Referred to Committee on Alms.

Of Jersey City Gas Light Co., $43.74.

Referred to Committee on Baths and Armories.

Of Mary Brady, admr., $30; Peter Dalton, Jr., $19.80 and $2.95; Martin Hare, $66.75; Philip E. Martin, $27.75; McAvoy Bros., $38.75; Seals & Rittenhouse, $56; Tebbenhoff Bros, $39.35.

Referred to Committee on Printing, Stationery and Supplies.

Of Farrier & Garretson, $30.25; Michael Kerrigan, $48; Geo. B. Lockwood, $19 and $13.

Referred to Committee on Public Grounds and Buildings.

OFFICERS' COMMUNICATIONS.

A report of Edward Reilly, poundkeeper, for quarter ending Nov. 30, 1875, was presented received and ordered filed.

The City Clerk presented reports of the approval by the Mayor on the 18th inst. of the ordinances passed on the 16th inst., concerning the removal of iron rails from the streets, and amendatory to ordinance concerning the driving of cattle.

The reports were received and ordered filed.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

The Committee on Liquor Licenses reported the following resolutions on applications heretore referred.

The reports were received and the resolutions disposed of as follows:

Resolved, That a license be granted to Patrick Gorman to keep a restaurant at 199 Washington street, in the First District.

The resolution was adopted by the following vote, the yeas and nays having been ordered and taken:

Yeas—Aldermen Brown, Helms, McLaughlin, Powell, Smith, Van Cleef, White and Wood.

Nay—Alderman Kase.

Resolved, That licenses be granted to the following named to keep restaurants at the following named places in Jersey City:

First District—

James Gorman, 101 Morris street; Michael Duffy, corner Barrow and Grand streets; Michael Duffy, 121 Newark avenue.

Second District—

Alice McCarthy, 281 Newark avenue,

Third District—

John Burns, 171 7th street.

Fourth District—James Kane, 146 Beacon avenue.

Fifth District—Thomas Cummings, 43 Water avenue.

Sixth District—Joseph N. Smith, corner of Washington and Atlantic avenues; Patrick H. Tealing, corner of Communipaw avenue and Sacket street; James McHugh, Ocean avenue, near Claremont avenue; Henry Jacobs, corner of Oak street and Jackson avenue; Henry Klaproth, corner of Pacific and Johnston avenues.

The resolution was adopted by the following vote, the yeas and nays having been ordered and taken:

Yeas—All the members present nine in number.

The Committee on Streets reported the following resolution on petition referred to said committee Oct. 19, 1875:

Resolved, That permission is hereby granted to John M. Hughes to remove a frame building from 205 Newark avenue to 81 Bright street, along Newark avenue to Jersey avenue, and along Jersey avenue to Bright street, the work to be completed within three days from the time of its commencement.

The report was received and the resolution adopted.

The Committee on Trade Licenses reported the following resolution on petition heretofore referred:

Resolved, That the license heretofore granted to Patrick Gallagher to peddle meat, fish, fruit and vegetables, be transferred to James O'Hare.

The report was received and the resolution adopted.

AUDITING OF CLAIMS BY RESOLUTION.

The following resolutions were reported by Committees in payment of claims heretofore referred.

By Committee on Alms:

Resolved, That the sum of $17.30 be paid to

William Allen for services as Justice of the Peace in abandonment and bastardy cases.

Resolved, That the sum of $6 20 be paid to William Allen for services as Justice of the Peace in abandonment case of Mary Schimser vs William Schimser.

Resolved, That the sum of $6 be paid William Allen for services as Justice of the Peace in bastardy case of Kate Hay vs. Richard Powell.

Resolved, That the sum of $12.55 be paid to George E. Cutter for services as Justice of the Peace in abandonment case of John McEntee.

Resolved, That the sum of $6 50 be paid to P. N. Horseley for services as Justice of the Peace in abandonment case on complaint of the Overseer of the Poor.

Resolved, That the sum of $10 be paid to Edward Hope, Jr., for coffin and wagon hire for burial of out-door poor.

By Committee on Baths and Armories:

Resolved, That the sum of $100 be paid to Bergen Library Association for one quarter's rent of Armory for "D." Co. to Nov. 1, 1875.

Resolved, That the sum of $250 be paid to G. P. Howell, agent, for rent of Armory for "A." Co., 4th Regt. N. G. S. N. J., from May 1 to Nov. 1. 1875.

Resolved, That the sum of $100 be paid to Mary C Pratt for rent of Armory of "B." Co. 9th Regt., from May 1, to Nov. 1, 1875

Resolved, That the sum of $100 be paid to Mary C. Pratt for rent of Armory of "B." Co., 4th Regt., N. G. S. N. J., from May 1, to Nov. 1, 1875.

Resolved, That the sum of $190.83 be paid to N. B. Shafer for rent of armory for October, 1875.

By Committee on Printing, Stationery and Supplies:

Resolved, That the sum of $20.50 be paid to the Argus for printing ordinance and manuals from Oct. 8 to 30, 1875.

Resolved, That the sum of $123.50 be paid to O'Mara Bros., for weights, measures, &c., for City Weighers and water coolers and stands for different offices.

The resolutions were adopted by the following vote, the yeas and nays having been ordered and taken on the call of the President pro tempore:

Yeas—All the members present—nine in number

The following resolutions were reported by committees in payment of claims presented at this meeting:

By Committee on Alms:

Resolved, That the sum of $17.50 be paid to William Allen for services as a Justice of the Peace in abandonment cases on complaint of Overseer of the Poor, three suits May 19, 1875.

Resolved, That the sum of $17 50 be paid to William Allen for services as a Justice of the Peace in abandonment cases on complaint of Overseer of the Poor May 26, June 4 and 12, 1875.

Resolved, That the sum of $18.80 be paid to William Allen for services as a Justice of the Peace in abandonment cases on complaint of Overseer of the Poor June 19, August 3, and Sept. 21 1875.

Resolved, That the sum of $100 be paid to H. Coyle for estate of M. Brady for coffins and wagon hire for burial of out door poor from June 5 to August 26, 1875.

Resolved, That the sum of $80 be paid to H. Coyle for estate of M Brady for coffins and wagon hire for burial of out door poor from Aug. 26 to Nov. 20. 1875.

Resolved, That the sum of $134.01 be paid to Mrs. S. Hunt for meat and groceries for out door poor from Aug. 20 to Nov. 30, 1875.

Resolved, That the sum of $176.75 be paid to Anton Schick for groceries for out door poor from May 26 to Nov. 17, 1875.

By Committee on Baths and Armories:

Resolved. That the sum of $43,74 be paid to Jersey City Gas Light Co. for gas for armories in Newark avenue and Wayne street from July 1 to Oct 1, 1875.

By Committee on Printing, Stationery and Supplies:

Resolved, That the sum of $19.80 be paid to Peter Dalton, Jr.. for new lock, keys and repairs at office of Overseer of the Poor.

Resolved, That the sum of $39.35 be paid to Tebbenhoff & Bro. for articles furnished Overseer of the Poor.

The resolutions were adopted by the following vote, the yeas and nays having been ordered and taken on the call of the President pro tempore:

Yeas—All the members present, nine in number.

MISCELLANEOUS BUSINESS,

Resolutions were presented, received and disposed of as follows:

By Alderman White and adopted:

Resolved, That warrants be drawn on the City Treasurer for payment of salaries for November, 1875.

John E. Scott, City Clerk	$250 00
John E. Hewitt, Overseer of the Poor	83 33
Timothy Long, City Marshall (from the 10th to 30th)	58 33

By Alderman White and adopted:

Resolved, That the Committee on Public Grounds and Buildings be authorized to cause a wooden railing to be placed inside of the office of the Overseer of the Poor for the purpose of affording said officer better business conveniences at a cost not to exceed fifty dollars

By Alderman McLaughlin and adopted:

Resolved, That the Street Commissioner be requested to cause the immediate removal of the fruit stand from the north side of Pavonia avenue, between Provost and Meadow streets.

By Alderman Van Cleef and adopted:

Resolved, That the permission granted April 7, 1874, to Bernard Hughes and Patrick Reilly to remove the surface rock from Washburn street be rescinded, and that the Corporation Attorney be requested to take such action as will compel said parties to place said street in a passable condition and in accordance with the promises contained in their petition of April 7, 1874.

By Alderman Van Cleef:

Resolved. That a committee of three be appointed to investigate the charges preferred against Edward Reill,. poundmaster, Fourth district, said committee to report to this Board with all convenient speed.

The resolution was adopted and Aldermen Van Cleef, Kase and Brown were appointed the committee.

By Alderman McLaughlin and adopted:

Whereas, From information received it appears that James Gough is peddling kindling wood under a city license from wagons belonging to New York parties, therefore

Resolved, That all licenses heretofore granted to James Gough to peddle kindling wood in Jersey City are hereby revoked.

By Alderman Smith and adopted:

Resolved, That the Police Commissioners be requested to detail a police officer to assist the Overseer of the Poor during the winter months.

Alderman Van Cleef moved:

"That the ordinance presented on the 16th inst., to authorize the North Hudson County Railway to lay a single track of iron rails through the centre of Palisade avenue, from Ferry street to Hoboken avenue, and through the centre of Jefferson avenue, to Oakland avenue, be taken from the table."

The motion was rejected by the following vote, the yeas and nays having been ordered and taken on the call of the President pro tempore:

Yeas—Aldermen Kase, Smith, Van Cleef and White.

Nays—Aldermen Brown, Helms, McLaughlin, Powell and Wood.

On motion of Alderman Brown the Board then adjourned.

JOHN E. SCOTT, City Clerk.

Regular meeting at the Aldermanic Chamber, City Hall, Tuesday, Dec. 7, 1875, at 7:30 o'clock P. M.

Present--President Harrison and Aldermen Brown, Helms, Kase, McLaughlin, Meyer, Powell and Soule.

Absent---Aldermen Smith, Van Cleef, White and Wood.

The minutes of the regular meeting Nov. 30, 1875, were approved as printed in manual form on motion of Alderman McLaughlin.

PRESENTATION OF PETITIONS, ETC.

Petitions, etc., were presented, received and disposed of as follows:

For Restaurant Licenses:

First District—James Carlein, 161 Sussex street; Dennis Hyland, 31 Grand street.

Third District—Patrick Cavanagh, 114 Newark avenue.

Fourth District—Frederick Nott, 685 Newark avenue; H. C. Freund, 803 Newark avenue.

Fifth District—Jacob Klein, 24 Duers street.

Referred to Committee on Liquor Licenses.

Petition of James Murray for transfer to him of restaurant license heretofore granted to John E. Donnelly, on Oak and avenue.

Granted on motion of Alderman Powell.

For Trade Licenses:

To vend meat, fish fruit and vegetables, Timothy Clark, and Richard Chaffer.

To vend kindling wood:

Joseph Campbell.

To vend merchandise:

Richard Buckley and Charles Stone.

Granted on motion of Alderman McLaughlin.

For transfer of Trade Licenses:

Junk shops: From Philip White to Patrick White at 307½ Warren street, Second district.

Philip White from 3 Essex street, to 26 Hudson street, First district; George Hausche from 83 Beacon avenue to 204 Beacon avenue, Fourth district; John N. Rapp from meat, etc. to merchandise.

Granted on motion of Alderman McLaughlin.

PRESENTATION OF CLAIMS.

Claims were presented, received and disposed of as follows:

Of James Coyle, $21; H. Fardelmann, $11.50; John B. Haight $33; Owen Mullaney, $35; Andrew Scandin, $38 85; Spatz Bros. $105.40.

Referred to Committee on Alms.

Of John B. Haight, $4.90.

Referred to Committee on Baths and Armories.

Of Adolph Walter, $2.50; The Argus, $49.10.

Referred to Committee on Printing, Stationery and Supplies.

Of John Higgins, $48.

Referred to Committee on Public Grounds and Buildings.

OFFICER'S COMMUNICATIONS.

A notice from N. L Cannon, Health Inspector, directing the removal of public pound from Jefferson avenue, as detrimental to health, was presented, received and on motion of Alderman McLaughlin it was

Resolved, That the notice be referred to the Committee on Laws and Ordinances with power to expend the sum of one hundred dollars in providing another place.

The quarterly reports of Michael Donovan and Frederick Haag, pound keepers, were presented; received, and ordered filed.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

The Committee on Liquor Licenses reported the following resolutions on applications heretofore referred.

The reports were received and the resolutions disposed of as follows:

Resolved, That licenses be granted to the following named to keep restaurants at the following named places in Jersey City:

First District—William Reilly, 126 Essex st.; Louis Peeves, 34 Montgomery st.; John Cahill, 70 Hudson st.; Colahan & Furlv, 97 Greene st.

Third District—John Reynolds, corner 6th and Henderson sts.

Fourth District—Mrs. Mary Louisan, 585 Central ave.; Thomas F. Cone, 657 Summit ave.

Fifth District—Amelia Weber, Communipaw, near Monticello ave.: H. Stoveken, 655 Newark avenue.

Sixth District—T. C. Moran, 147 Wayne street.

The resolution was adopted by the following vote, the yeas and nays having been ordered and taken:

Yeas—All the members present, eight in number

Resolved, That the following restaurant licenses be transferred:

No. 816, James Gorman to 57 Grand street, 1st district.

No. 703, F. L. Farrant to 57 Laidlaw avenue, 4th district.

The resolution was adopted.

The Committee on Trade Licenses reported the following resolutions on applications heretofore referred:

The reports were received and the resolutions disposed of as follows:

Resolved, That licenses to vend meat, fish, fruit and vegetables, from a wagon, cart or other vehicle in Jersey City, be issued by the Mayor and City Clerk, under the corporate seal of the city to the following named on their paying the license fees.

John Johnson, James Burns, Thomas Townsend and John Lenahan.

Resolved, That licenses to vend any other merchandise (than and excepting meat, fish, fruit, vegetables, kindling wood, cigars and tobacco) from a wagon, cart or other vehicle in Jersey City, be issued by the Mayor and City Clerk, under the corporate seal of the city to the following named on their paying the license fees,

Samuel Wright, Isaac Simon, Jacob Alexander and James Ruane.

Resolved, That a license as a public porter be issued by the Mayor and City Clerk, under the corporate seal of the city, to John Smith, on his paying the license fees.

Resolved, That the following described trade licenses be transferred:

To vend meat, fish, fruit and vegetables.

Robert Gilliland to James O'Hare.

To vend merchandise.

Samuel Wright to John O'Connell.

To keep junk shops.

James Fitzgerald, from 223 Henderson street to 56 First street, Second District.

Hugh Dunn, from 13 Railroad avenue to 33 Cornelison avenue, Fifth District.

The resolutions were severally adopted.

AUDITING OF CLAIMS BY RESOLUTION

The following resolutions were reported by Committees in payment of claims heretofore referred:

By Committee on Alms;

Resolved, That the sum of $96.60 be paid to Garret Haley for meat for out door poor from April 1st to 26, 1875.

Resolved, That the sum of $7.70 be paid to P. N. Horsley for services as Justice of the Peace in abandonment case, on complaint of Overseer of the Poor.

Resolved, That the sum of $33 60 be paid to Robert Quinn for meat for out door poor from March 16 to April 8, 1875.

Resolved, That the sum of $35 be paid to B. J. F. Roberts for shoes for out door poor from April 1st to April 27, 1875.

By Committee on Printing Stationery and Supplies:

Resolved, That the sum of $30 be paid to Mary Brady, admr., for board of horse of Overseer of the Poor for November, 1875.

Resolved, That the sum of $2.95 be paid to Peter Dalton, Jr., for work done in city hall.

Resolved, That the sum of $66.75 be paid to Martin Hare, for supplies for City Hall (feather dusters, brooms and soap).

Resolved, That the sum of $27.75 be paid to Philip E. Martin, for stove and fixtures furnished for office of Overseer of the Poor.

Resolved, That a warrant be drawn on the City Treasurer in favor of McAvoy Brothers, for $38.75, for stationery furnished City Clerk's office and Council Chamber, from Oct. 8 to Nov. 30, 1875.

Resolved, That the sum of $56 be paid, to Seals & Rittenhouse, for sprinkling streets

around City Hall, from April 16 to October 29, 1875.

The resolutions were adopted.

The following resolutions were reported by the Committee on Alms, in payment of claims presented at this meeting:

Resolved, That the sum of $35 be paid to Owen Mullaney, for potatoes for out door poor, Dec. 3, 1875.

Resolved, That the sum of $38.85 be paid to Andrew Scanlon, for groceries for out door poor, from Sept. 28 to Nov. 30, 1875.

The resolutions were adopted.

MISCELLANEOUS BUSINESS.

The following resolution was offered by Alderman Brown and adopted.

Resolved, That during cold weather the Committee on Printing, Stationery and Supplies are hereby authorized to expend the sum of not exceeding twelve dollars a month in attending to the furnance fires in the cellar of City Hall, any other order notwithstanding.

The following preamble and resolution were offered by Alderman McLaughlin and adopted.

Whereas, Michael and John Carr licensed to vend kindling wood are not residents of Jersey City as required by law ; therefore

Resolved, That the licenses heretofore granted to Michael and John Carr to vend kindling wood in Jersey City be revoked.

On motion of Alderman Kase, it was

Resolved, That a special committee of three be appointed to examine the condition of the Ocean avenue bridge over the Newark and New York Railroad, and report at the next meeting.

Aldermen Kase, McLaughlin and Soule were appointed the Committee

On motion of Alderman Brown, the Board then adjourned.

JOHN E. SCOTT,
City Clerk.

Regular meeting at the Aldermanic Chamber, City Hall, Tuesday, December 14th, 1875, at 7½ o'clock, P. M.

Present—President Harrison and Aldermen Helms; Kase, McLaughlin, Smith, Soule and White.

Absent—Aldermen Brown, Meyer, Powell, Van Cleef and Wood,

The minutes of the regular meeting of the 7th inst. were approved as printed in manual form on motion of Alderman Smith.

PRESENTATION OF PETITIONS, ETC.

Petitions etc., were presented, received and disposed of as follows:

Petition of Martin Bosquett for permission to erect an awning in front of his premises on Laidlaw avenue.

Granted, on motion of Alderman Helms.

Petition of N. G. Vreeland, owner, and Richardson Bros., tenants, for permission to erect a sign over sidewalk in front of 470 Grand street.

Granted, on motion of Alderman Smith.

Petition of Lewis E. Wood for permission to erect sign over sidewalk in front of 83 Montgomery street.

Granted, on motion of Alderman White.

Petition of H. McKold, for permission to erect a sign across the sidewalk in front of his premises on Bowers street, between New York and Pavonia avenues.

Granted, on motion of Alderman Helms.

Petition of Joseph L Martinett, for permission to erect an awning in front of his premises, corner of Sussex and Van Vorst streets.

Referred to Committee on Streets.

Communication from the North Hudson County Railway Company, setting forth that they have finished the new turnout across 7th street on Grove street, and asking permission to lay the new turnout at convenient distances on Grove street, north of Newark avenue.

Alderman Kase moved that the prayer of the petition be granted.

The motion was adopted by the following vote, the yeas and nays having been ordered and taken, on the call of the President:

Yeas—President Harrison and Aldermen Helms, Kase, Smith, Soule, and White.

Nay—Alderman McLaughlin

For Restaurant Licenses—James Harper, 214 Wayne street, 2d District; James Harper, corner of Wayne and Merseles streets, 2d District; Frederick Frauenheim, 256 New York avenue, 4th District.

Referred to Committee on Liquor Licenses.

Petition of J. G. Bauer, for transfer of restaurant license, No. 320 to Ernest Herzog.

Granted, on motion of Alderman Helms.

Petition of Patrick Cavanagh to have refunded to him restaurant license fee deposited with City Clerk Dec 2, 1875.

Referred to Committee on Liquor Licenses.

Petition of Henry A. Baker, to have refunded to him merchandise license fee of $10, deposited Dec. 13, 1875.

Referred to Committee on Trade Licenses.

For Trade Licenses:

To vend meat, fish, fruit and vegetables, William Cooper.

To vend cigars and tobacco:

Joseph Gurau and Selig Gurau.

To vend merchandise other than meat, fish, &c.

Peter Tietem n, B Wittcke, Charles E. Brehm, Henry A. Baker and Daniel W. Quimby.

Referred to committee on Trade Licenses.

PRESENTATION OF CLAIMS.

Claims were presented, received and disposed of as follows,

Of Thos. Booth, $35; James T, Burke, $38.25; T. S. Haughey, $30; L. Munkel, $124.35, and $162.80; Richard R. Ranken, $7.65. Referred to committee on Alms.

Of Mary Brady, Admix., $60; Robt. Miller, $15; O'Mara Bros. $56. Referred to committee on Printing, Stationery and Supplies

Of John Manning, $50 and $20; Alfred Pye, $20. Referred to committee on Public Grounds and Buildings.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

The Committee on Liquor Licenses reported the following resolution on applications heretofore referred:

Resolved, That licenses be granted to the following named, to keep restaurants at the following named places in Jersey City:

First District—James Carlion, 161 Sussex st.; Dennis Hyland, 31 Grand st.

Fourth District—Frederick Nott, 685 Newark ave.; H. C. Freund, 803 Newark ave.

Fifth District—Jacob Klein, 24 Tuers st.

The report was received. The resolution was adopted by the following vote, the yeas and nays having been ordered and taken:

Yeas—All the members present, seven in number.

AUDITING OF CLAIMS BY RESOLUTION.

The following resolutions were reported by committees in payment of claims heretofore referred:

By Committee on Alms:

Resolved, that the sum of $72 50 be paid to Charles Bammesberger for meat for out-door poor from April 1 to May 18 1875.

Resolved, That the sum of $53.50 be paid to Charles Bammesberger for meat for out door poor from May 19 to June 20, 1875

Resolved, That the sum of $11.50 be paid to H. Fardelmann for groceries for out door poor from Oct. 2 to Nov. 3, 1875.

Resolved, That the sum of $33 be paid to John B. Haight for groceries for out d or poor from August 27 to Nov. 27, 1875.

Resolved, That the um of $15 be paid to A. J. Hall for wagon hire and coffins for burial of out door poo , Nov. 10 and 29, 1875.

Resolved, That the sum of $45 be paid to Edward Hope, Jr, for wagon hire and coffins for burial of out door poor from Oct. 17 to Nov. 8, 1875,

Resolved, That the sum of $63.25 be paid to D. Munkel for bread for out door poor from Aug. 1 to Dec. 1, 1875.

Resolved, That the sum of $295.75 be paid to John Ohle for groceries for out door poor from April 1 to April 30, 1875

Resolved, that the sum of $105.40 be paid to Spatz Brothers for groceries for distribution to out door poor Dec. 2, 1875.

By Committee on Public Grounds and Buildings:

Resolved, That the sum of $30.25 be paid to Farrier & Garretson for plumbing and gas fitting at City Hall and Public Parks, from June 7 to Oct. 12, 1875,

Resolved, That the sum of $17 be paid to Geo. B. Lockwood for repairing lamps, &c., at City Hall, during August and Sept., 1875.

Resolved, That the sum of $13 be paid to Geo. B. Lockwood for repairing gas pipe, &c., at City Hall, for Oct and Nov. 1875.

By Committee on Streets:

Resolved That a warrant be drawn on the City Treasurer in favor of Wm. H. Armstrong for $952.92 for numbering the houses of Jersey City as per contract.

The resolutions were adopted.

The following resolutions were reported by committees in payment of claims presented at this meeting:

By Committee on Alms:

Resolved, That the sum of $30 be paid to T S. Haughey for coffin, &c., for burial of Henry Humke, May 19, 1875.

Resolved, That the sum of $7.65 be paid to Richard R. Ranken for services as a Justice of the Peace in abandonment case.

By Committee on Public Grounds and Buildings:

Resolved, That the sum of $50 be paid to John Manning for new railing and other work at office of Overseer of the Poor.

Resolved, That the sum of $20 be paid to John Manning for new coal box and other work at office of Overseer of the Poor.

Resolved, That the sum of $20 be paid to Alfred Pye for carting 123 park settees from Hamilton, Van Vorst and Washington Parks, and storing the same in the building known as the Public Bath

The resolutions were adopted.

MISCELLANEOUS BUSINESS.

The following entitled ordinances were presented by Alderman Kase, and the same were received, laid upon the table, and ordered to be printed on slips for the use Board, viz:

An ordinance to amend an ordinance entitled "An ordinance to establish, regulate, and con-

trol the appointment, duties, and responsibilities of the poundkeepers in Jersey City," passed June 6, 1871.

A supplement to an ordinance, entitled "An Ordinance to regulate the sale of meat, fish, fruit, and vegetables, or kindling wood, or cigars and tobacco, or any other merchandize, from wagons and other vehicles, in Jersey City," passed May 30, 1871.

The following entitled ordinance was presented by Alderman Soule, and the same was received, laid upon the table, and ordered to be printed on slips for the use of the Board, viz.:

"An ordinance amendatory to the ordinance respecting dogs," passed July 18, 1871.

Resolutions were presented, received, and and disposed of as follows:

By Alderman McLaughlin:

Resolved, That the action had on the 7th inst. in revoking the kindling wood licenses of Michael and John Carr be rescinded, and that the licenses be restored, because of the erroneous information received that such parties had ceased to be residents, as required by law.

The resolution was adopted by the following vote, the yeas and nays having been ordered and taken on the call of the President.

Yeas—All the members present—seven in number.

By President Harrison:

Resolved, That in all matters of complaint for abandonment or other causes which by law are brought to the notice of the Overseer of the Poor, and which may result in expenses to the city, the said officer is hereby directed before taking any proceedings to present the facts to the Corporation Counsel or Attorney for advice as to further action, this Board deeming it prejudicial to the interests of the city to further any matters of prosecution of delinquents without benefit, and hereafter declining to consider any claim for service in such causes unless certified as correct by said Counsel or Attorney

The resolution was adopted by the following vote, the yeas and nays having been ordered and taken on the call of the President.

Yeas—All the members present—seven in number.

On motion of Alderman McLaughlin, the Board then adjourned.

JOHN E. SCOTT, City Clerk.

Regular meeting at the Aldermanic Chamber, City Hall, Tuesday, Dec. 21, 1875, at 7:30 o'clock P. M.

Present—All the members of the Board.

The minutes of the regular meeting of the 24th instant were approved as printed in manual form on motion of Alderman McLaughlin.

PRESENTATION OF PETITIONS, ETC.

Petitions, etc., were presented, received and disposed of as follows:

Petition of Jacob Ringle and others for the removal of the bridge crossing the railroad track at Newark avenue.

The following resolution in relation thereto was offered by Alderman Smith and adopted:

Resolved, That as petitioned for by Jacob Ringle and others the Pennsylvania Railroad Company be requested to remove the steps leading to and from the bridge over the road of said company at Newark avenue.

Petition of John M. Shannon for permission to use the sidewalk and part of the street in improvement of lots 3 and 5, Hoboken avenue, block 551.

Alderman McLaughlin moved That the prayer of the petition be granted.

The motion was adopted by the following vote, the yeas and nays having been ordered and taken on the call of the President:

Yeas—President Harrison and Aldermen Brown, Helms, McLaughlin, Meyer, Powell, Smith, White and Wood

Nays—Aldermen Kase, Soule and Van Cleef

Petition of Henry Schmidt for permission to erect a sign across the sidewalk in front of his premises on the new Bergen road, corner of Atlantic avenue.

Granted on motion of Alderman Smith.

Petition of I. Brandt for permission to erect an awning in front of his premises corner of Pierce avenue and Congress street.

Granted on motion of Alderman Powell.

Notice from Edward Reilly, poundkeeper, that he is unable to find a new location for public pound.

Referred to special committee on investigation, etc., heretofore appointed.

For restaurant licenses:

Michael Hickey, 65 Hudson street, 1st district.

H. T. Wood, 245 Grove street, 3d district.

George Schumann, 37 Coles street, 3d district.

Ernst Luhr, 1,187 Summit avenue, 4th district.

Referred to Committee on Liquor Licenses.

Petition of Coney Gamaker for transfer of restaurant license No. 530 to 377 Grand street, Sixth District.

Granted on motion of Alderman McLaughlin.

For transfer of trade licenses:

Of Richard Curtis from meat, etc., to merchandise.

Luke Burke, meat, etc., to Daniel McLary.

Charles S. Nichols, public porter No. 10, to Charles A. Hall.

Referred to Committee on Trade Licenses.

PRESENTATION OF CLAIMS.

Claims were presented, received and disposed of as follows:

Of John Geier, $16.80; Andrew J. Hall, $55; James Hunt, $51.90; and L. Munkle, $164.45.

Referred to Committee on Alms.

Of N. B. Shafer, $190 83.

Referred to Committee on Baths and Armories.

Of Pangborn, Dunning & Dear, $25 00.

Referred to Committee on Printing, Stationery and Supplies.

OFFICER'S COMMUNICATIONS.

A communication from James N. Davis, Police Justice, recommending that the ordinance passed August 17, 1875, amending hack driver's ordinance, &c., be referred to the Corporation Counsel for opinion as to legality, &c., was presented, received, and referred to the Committee on Laws and Ordinances.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

The Committee on Laws and Ordinances to whom was referred Oct. 19, 1875, the opinion of W. A. Lewis, Corporation Counsel on petition of Smith Mead for permission to remove marble mantel, &c, from old Hose House No. 4, &c., presented a report thereon recommending the adoption of the following preamble and resolution:

Whereas, In the opinion of the Corporation Counsel the Board of Aldermen has no control over the old Passaic Hose Company house in Bright street, and that it is exclusively under the control of the Board of Fire Commissioners; therefore be it

Resolved, That the said petition of Smith Mead, together with a copy of the opinion of the Corporation Counsel on the same, be referred to the Board of Fire Commissioners.

The report was received and the preamble and resolution were adopted

The Committee on Liquor Licenses reported the following resolutions on applications heretofore referred to said committee.

The reports were received and the resolutions disposed of as follows:

Resolved, That licenses be granted to the following named to keep restaurants at the following named places in Jersey City:

James Harper, 214 Wayne street, Second District.

James Harper, corner Wayne and Merseles street, Second District.

Frederick Fruenheim, 156 New York avenue, Fourth District.

The resolution was adopted by the following vote, the yeas and nays having been ordered and taken:

Yeas—All the members of the Board.

Resolved, That the sum of $25 be paid to Patrick Cavanagh to refund restaurant license fee deposited Dec. 2, 1875, and that his petition for a license be filed.

The resolution was adopted.

The Committee on Streets reported the following resolution on petition referred to said committee on the 14th inst.:

Resolved, That permission be granted to Joseph L. Martinett to erect an awning in the front and alongside of store at the southeast corner of Sussex and Van Vorst streets, he being the owner of the building.

The report was received and the resolution adopted.

The Committee on Trade Licenses reported the following resolutions on applications heretofore referred to said committee.

The reports were received and the resolutions disposed of as follows:

Resolved, That a license to vend meat, fish, fruit and vegetables from a wagon, cart or other vehicle, in Jersey City, be issued by the Mayor and City Clerk, under the corporate seal of the city, to William Cooper, on his paying the license fees.

Resolved, That licenses to vend cigars and tobacco, from a wagon, cart or other vehicle, in Jersey City, be issued by the Mayor and City Clerk, under the corporate seal of the city, to Joseph and Selig Gurau, on their paying the license fees.

Resolved, That licenses to vend any other merchandise than and excepting meat, fish, fruit, vegetables, kindling wood, cigars and tobacco, from a wagon, cart, or other vehicle, in Jersey City, be issued by the Mayor and City Clerk, under the corporate seal of the city, to Peter Tiedemann, B Wittcke, Charles E. Brehm and Daniel W. Quimby, on their paying the license fees.

Resolved, That the sum of $10 be paid to Henry A. Baker, to refund merchandise license fee deposited Dec. 13, 1875, and that his petition for such license be filed.

The resolutions were severally adopted.

AUDITING OF CLAIMS BY RESOLUTION

The following resolutions were reported by committees in payment of claims heretofore referred:

By Committee on Bath and Armories:

Resolved, That the sum of $4.90 be paid to John B. Haight for supplies for public bath.

By Committee on Printing, Stationery and Supplies:

Resolved, That the sum of $49:10 be paid to The Argus for printing and advertising.

Resolved, That the sum of $60 be paid to Mary Brady, admrx. for board of horse Overseer of the Poor for September and October, 1875.

Resolved, That the sum of $56 be paid to O'Mara Bros., for water pipe, &c., at armory, C Co. 4th Regt.. N. G., S. N. J.

Resolved, That the sum of $15 be paid to Robert Miller for kindling wood at City Hall, Dec. 14, 1875.

Resolved, That the sum of $2.50 be paid to Adolph Walter for cleaning and repairing clock in the Aldermanic chamber.

The resolutions were adopted.

The following resolution was reported by the Committee on Baths and Armories in payment of claim presented at this meeting:

Resolved, That the sum of $190 83 be paid to N. B. Shafer for rent of Armory for November, 1875.

The resolution was adopted.

MISCELLANEOUS BUSINESS.

Resolutions were presented, received, and disposed of as follows:

By Alderman White and adopted:

Resolved, That when this Board adjourns it will adjourn to meet at the Aldermanic Chamber, City Hall, on Tuesday, January 4, 1876, at 7½ o'clock P. M

By Alderman Soule and adopted:

Resolved, That the Committee on Finance be requested to confer with the Board of Finance and Taxation and endeavor to make some arrangement whereby the claims now unpaid for support of out-door poor and for other purposes during the year ending Dec. 1, 1875, may be paid.

By Alderman Soule and adopted:

Resolved, That warrants be drawn on the city treasurer in favor of the following named for payment of salaries for Dec., 1875, when due, viz:

John E. Scott, city clerk $250 00
John E. Hewitt, overseer of the poor..... 83 33
Timothy Long, city marshal..... 83 33

By Alderman Wood:

Resolved, That the vote by which the Mayor's nomination of John Craven for Ravine Road Commissioner was lost Nov. 9, be reconsidered.

The resolution was rejected by the following vote, the yeas and nays having been ordered and taken on the call of the President:

Yeas—Aldermen Brown, McLaughlin, Smith, Van Cleef, White, and Wood.

Nays—President Harrison, and Aldermen Helms, Kase, Meyer, Powell, and Soule.

By consent of the Board, Alderman Wood, Chairman of the Committee on Baths and Armories, presented a report of John Brady, keeper of the Public Bath in Mercer street, setting forth that during the term ending November 1st, 1875, 1,800 females and 40,165 males attended, &c.

The report was ordered filed.

On motion of Alderman Wood, the following resolutions, presented November 16, 1875, were taken from the table:

Resolved, That the sum of one hundred dollars be paid to John Brady for services as keeper of Public Bath for the month of September, 1875.

Resolved, That the sum of one hundred dollars be paid to John Brady for services as keeper of Public Bath for the month of October 1875.

The resolutions were adopted by the followlowing vote, the yeas and nays having been ordered and taken on the call of the President.

Yeas—President Harrison and Aldermen Brown, McLaughlin, Powell, Smith, White and Wood.

Nays---Aldermen Helms, Kase, Meyer, Soule and Van Cleef.

On motion of Alderman Kase, the following entitled ordinance presented on the 14th inst., was taken from the table for consideration, viz:

A Supplement to an ordinance entitled "An Ordinance to regulate the sale of meat, fish, fruit and vegetables, or kindling wood, or cigars and tobacco, or any other merchandise, from wagons and other vehicles in Jersey City, passed May 30, 1871.

The ordinance was passed by the following vote, the yeas and nays having been ordered and taken:

Yeas—Pres, Harrison and Aldermen Brown Helms, Kase, McLaughlin, Meyer, Powell Smith, Soule, Van Cleef, White and Wood.

Nays—None.

On motion of Alderman Kase the following entitled ordinance, presented on the 14th inst,, was taken from the table for consideration, viz:

"An ordinance to amend an ordinance entitled 'an ordinance to establish, regulate, and control the appointment, duties and responsibilities of the Pound Keepers in Jersey City," passed June 6, 1871.

The ordinance was passed by the following vote, the yeas and nays having been ordered and taken;

Yeas—President Harrison and Aldermen Brown, Helms, Kase, McLaughlin, Meyer, Powell Smith, Soule, Van Cleef, White and Wood.

Nays—None.

Alderman Smith moved—

"That the vote by which the ordinance amendatory to ordinance concerning peddling was passed at this meeting be reconsidered."

The motion was rejected by the following vote, the yeas and nays having been ordered and taken on the call of the President:

Yeas—Aldermen Brown, McLaughlin, Smith, White and Wood.

Nays—President Harrison and Aldermen Helms, Kase, Meyer, Powell, Soule and Van Cleef.

On motion of Alderman Smith, the Board then adjourned.

JOHN E. SCOTT, City Clerk.

Regular meeting at the Aldermanic Chamber, City Hall, Tuesday, Jan. 4, 1876, at 7:30 o'clock P. M.

Present—President Harrison and Aldermen Helms, Kase, McLaughlin, Meyer, Powell, Smith, Van Cleef, White and Wood.

Alderman Soule was absent at the calling of the roll, but subsequently appeared and took his seat.

Absent—Alderman Brown.

The minutes of the regular meeting of December 21, 1875, were approved as printed in manual form on motion of Alderman Smith.

PRESENTATION OF PETITIONS, ETC.

Petitions, etc., were presented, received and disposed of as follows:

Petition of Joseph T. Kelly for permission to erect an awning in front of his premises, corner of Warren and Morris streets.

Referred to Committee on Streets. Subsequently in "Miscellaneous Business" the rules were suspended and the prayer of the petition was granted, on motion of Alderman Van Cleef.

For restaurant licenses:

First district—Mrs. L. Roeder, 117 Newark avenue; Robert Bowden, 19 Montgomery street; Thomas Bennett, 1 Montgomery street and Budlong & Higgins, 159 and 161 Montgomery street.

Third district—Matthew J. Smith, 530 First street.

Fourth district—Samuel H. Isaac, 558 Railroad avenue and C. H. Kopf, corner South street and Sherman avenue.

Sixth district—Martin Doyle, 142 Wayne street.

Referred to Committee on Liquor Licenses.

For transfer of Restaurant licenses:

P. H. Carling, No. 762 to John F. Pfifer; Philip Hern, No. 594 to Adolph Fischer.

Granted on motion of Alderman McLaughlin.

For Trade Licenses:

John M. Gibson, auctioneer; R. G. Dudley, Daniel Hartigan, Albert Maturin, Michael O'Gready and Wm. Odell to vend meat, fish, fruit and vegetables.

Granted on motion of Alderman McLaughlin.

Petition of William Carroll for transfer of his license to vend meat, fish, etc., to Daniel P. Reynolds.

Granted on motion of Alderman McLaughlin.

(Alderman Soule appeared and took his seat.)

PRESENTATION OF CLAIMS.

Claims were presented, received and disposed of as follows:

Of Thomas Booth $70; Garret Haley $155.40; Augustus Hill, $76.40; Jacob Hohmann $81.51; E. Hope, Jr., $30; Mrs. S. Hunt $86.40, $29.50; J. W. Johnson, agent, $129.30; L. Munkle $163.80 and $155.98; Andrew Scanlon $144.65; Bryan Smith $3; Spatz Bros., $64.40, and Joseph Warren $38.50.

Referred to Committee on Alms.

Of N. B. Shafer $190.83.

Referred to Committee on Baths and Armories.

Of T. Long, $16.21.

Referred to Committee on Finance.

Of Patrick Cunningham, $12; Hudson Co., German Publishing Association, $39.40, and Patrick Nicholas, $63.75.

Referred to Committee on Printing, Stationery and Supplies.

Of John Fitzpatrick, $48; John Higgins, $48, and Michael Kerrigan, $48.

Referred to Committee on Public Grounds and Buildings.

OFFICERS COMMUNICATIONS.

A communication from the Clerk of the Board of Finance and Taxation, submitting a claim of Nathan B. Shafer, for amount of judgment against the city, $616.5[illegible], with interest from Dec. 9, 1875, was presented, received, and on motion of Alderman Van Cleef ordered returned to the Board of Finance and Taxation, with a recommendation for payment by said Board.

The City Clerk presented reports of the approval by the Mayor Dec 23, 1875, of the two ordinances passed Dec. 21, 1875, supplementary to ordinance regulating the sale of meat, etc., and amendatory to ordinance concerning Pound Keepers.

The reports were received and ordered filed.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

The Committee on Laws and Ordinances to whom was referred Dec. 21, 1875, the communication from James N. Davis, Police Justice, recommending that amendatory hack drivers' ordinance be referred to the Corporation Counsel for opinion as to validity, verbally reported through Alderman Kase, its chairman, the following opinion from the Corporation Counsel:

CORPORATION COUNSEL'S OFFICE,
134 HUDSON STREET, COR. YORK STREET,
Jersey City, N. J., Jan. 4, 1876.

Gentlemen—By request of Alderman John Kase, Jr., I submit opinion upon the question raised by James N. Davis, Esq., Police Justice, in his communication to the Board as to the "validity and legality" of an ordinance passed August 17, 1875, amendatory to an ordinance concerning "hack drivers, omnibus drivers and porters," passed June 6, 1871.

The first section of this amendatory ordinance, in my judgment, is illiberal, unreasonable and indefensible.

The second section is unimportant.

The third section, in my opinion, is in violation of the city charter, wherein said section provides that one-half of any forfeiture or penalty recovered for violation of the amended ordinance shall be paid by the Police Justice (before whom recovered) to the complainant in each case, except where such complainant is a salaried officer of the city.

A compliance with that section would violate the city charter, because by section 135, on page 73 of the charter, the Police Justices are required to pay into the City Treasury all "fines, penalties and forfeitures" received by them.

Also, by express legislation, (see charter page 112, section 12,) it is enacted that fines and penalties shall be appropriated to the Sinking Fund of Jersey City.

These requirements of the charter will not permit a distribution of any part of the fines and penalties among general informers, nor do they suffer such fines and penalties to be diverted from the Sinking Fund, and as the charter is superior to an ordinance, so an ordinance in conflict with the charter must be held to be invalid, illegal and voidable.

Very respectfully,
WILLIAM A. LEWIS,
Corporation Counsel.

The opinion was received and ordered filed.

The Committee on Liquor Licenses reported the following resolution on applications heretofore referred.

Resolved, That licenses be granted to the following named to keep restaurants at the following named places in Jersey City: Michael Hickey, 65 Hudson street, 1st District; H. T. Wood, 245 Grove street, 3d District; George Schumann, 37 Coles street, 3d District; Ernst Duhr; 1,184 Summit avenue, 4th District.

The report was received. The resolution was adopted by the following vote, the yeas and nays having been ordered and taken:

Yeas—All the members present, eleven in number.

The Committee on Trade Licenses reported the following resolution on applications heretofore referred:

Resolved, That the following described trade licenses be transferred: Richard Curtis, from meat, fish etc., to merchandise; Luke Burke, meat, fish, etc., to Daniel McLary; Charles S. Nichols, public porter No. 10, to Charles A. Hall.

The report was received and the resolution adopted.

AUDITING OF CLAIMS BY RESOLUTION

The following resolutions were reported by committees in payment of claims heretofore referred, viz.:

By Committee on Alms:

Resolved, That the sum of $35 be paid to Thomas Booth for potatoes for distribution to out-door poor, Dec. 9, 1875.

Resolved, That the sum of $38.25 be paid to James F. Burke for groceries for out-door poor from May 19 to Aug. 14, 1875.

Resolved, That the sum of $23.27 be paid to Samuel M. Chambers for services as Justice of the Peace in abandonment and bastardy cases, from June 14 to July 31, 1875.

Resolved, That the sum of $21. be paid to James Coyle, for shoeing horse of Overseer of the Poor, from May 3 to Nov. 15, 1875.

Resolved, That the sum of $16.80 be paid to John Geier for meat for out-door poor, from June 30 to Dec. 15, 1875.

Resolved, That the sum of $55 be paid to Andrew J. Hall for coffins and wagon hire for burial of out-door poor, from December 3 to 20, 1875.

Resolved, That the sum of $51.90 be paid to James Hunt for meat for out-poor, from Dec. 13 to Dec. 18, 1875.

Resolved, That the sum of $124.35 be paid to L. Munkle for bread for out-door poor, Dec. 3, 1875.

Resolved, That the sum of $162.80 be paid to L. Munkle, for bread for out-door poor Dec. 10, 1875.

Resolved, That the sum of $164.45 be paid to L. Munkle for bread for distribution to out-door poor to Dec. 17, 1875.

Resolved, That the sum of $27.30 be paid to Peter Dalton, Jr., for new locks, keys and repairs at office of Overseer of the Poor.

By Committee on Public Grounds and Buildings:

Resolved, That the sum of $48 be paid to John Fitzpatrick for services as keeper of Washington square for November, 1875.

Resolved, That the sum of $48 be paid to John Higgins for services as keeper of Hamilton park for November, 1875.

Resolved, That the sum of $48 be paid to Michael Kerrigan for services as keeper of Van Vorst park for November, 1875.

By Committee on Streets:

Resolved That a warrant be drawn on the city treasurer in favor of the N. Y. Sand Blast Glass Co. for $100 for one hundred street signs.

The resolutions were adopted.

The following resolutions were reported by committees in payment of claims presented at this meeting.

By Committee on Baths and Armories:

Resolved, That the sum of $190 83 be paid to N. B. Shafer for rent of armory for December, 1875.

By Committee on Finance:

Resolved, That a warrant be drawn on the city treasurer in favor of Timothy Long for $16 21 for incidental expenses as city marshal, from Nov. 10 to Dec. 31, 1875.

By Committee on Printing, Stationery and Supplies:

Resolved, That the sum of $12 be paid to Patrick Cunningham for work in cellar of City Hall lighting fires, etc., Dec. 1875.

Resolved, That the sum of $63 75 be paid to Patrick Nicholas for coal for City Hall, Dec. 13, 1875.

By Committee on Public Grounds and Buildings:

Resolved, That the sum of $48 be paid to John Fitzpatrick, for services as keeper of Washington Square, for December, 1875.

Resolved, That the sum of $48 be paid to John Higgins, for services as keeper of Hamilton Square, for December, 1875.

Resolved, That the sum of $48 be paid to Michael Kerrigan, for services as keeper of Van Vorst Park, for December, 1875.

The resolutions were adopted.

On motion of Alderman Soule, the Board took a recess of five minutes.

On re-assembling the Board proceeded with

MISCELLANEOUS BUSINESS.

The following resolution was offered by Alderman McLaughlin, and adopted:

Resolved, That the license granted November 16, 1875, to Thomas McGuire, to peddle meat, fish, fruit and vegetables, be revoked, and that the sum of $10 be paid to said McGuire to refund the license fee deposited by him, McGuire having lost his horse before the granting of the license and not being able to use the same.

On motion of Alderman Powell, the Board then adjourned.

JOHN E. SCOTT, City Clerk.

Regular meeting at the Aldermanic Chamber, City Hall, Tuesday, Jan. 11, 1876, at 7:30 o'clock P. M.

Present—President Harrison and Aldermen Brown, Helms, Kase, McLaughlin, Powell, Smith, Soule and Wood.

Absent—Aldermen Meyer, White and Van Cleef.

The minutes of the regular meeting of the 4th inst,. were approved as printed in manual form on motion of Alderman McLaughlin.

PRESENTATION OF PETITIONS, ETC.

Petitions, etc., were presented, received and disposed of as follows:

Petition of Joseph Jewkes for permission to move frame building across Bergen avenue between Montgomery and Church streets.

Granted, on motion of Alderman Helms.

For Restaurant Licenses;

Mrs. B. Donnelly, 40 Sussex street, 1st district; Valentine Jahn, 23 Leonard street, 4th district; Frank Weissmann, 357 Grand street, 6th district.

Referred to Committee on Liquor Licenses.

For transfer of restaurant licenses:

Patrick Morris, No. 292 to 233 Tenth street, 2d District; Shields & Co., No. 338 to R. W. B. Welsh; Martin Borkin, No. 561 to 154 Fifteenth street, 2d District; Owen Masterson, No. 35, to Mrs. O'Neill, corner of Brunswick and Eleventh streets, 2d District.

Granted, on motion of Alderman McLaughlin.

For trade licenses;

Of Daniel W. Hahn, to vend meat, etc.; Christian Keuneke, to vend merchandise.

Granted, on motion of Alderman Powell.

Petition of Luke Burke, for a transfer of license No. 163, to vend meat, etc., to Richard Farrell.

Granted, on motion of Alderman Powell.

PRESENTATION OF CLAIMS.

Claims were presented, received, and disposed of as follows:

Of Jacob Hohman, $11.11; James Hunt, $81 90; L. Munkle, $ 93.82; Anton Schick, $66; $65.10; Spatz Brothers, $85.75; Abraham Speer, $20; Francis Volk, $10. Referred to Committee on Alms.

Of The Argus, $123.40; Hacket & McGrath, $10.20; Henry Markstein, $8; Michael Seeley, $13. Referred to Committee on Printing, Stationery, and Supplies.

OFFICERS' COMMUNICATIONS,

The following preamble and resolution, adopted by the Board of Public Works, January 6, 1876, were presented, received, and on motion of Alderman Kase, the same were concurred in by the Board of Aldermen:

WHEREAS, By reason of an accident to No. 3 Engine at the Jersey City Water Works, at Belleville, it is necessary that immediate steps should be taken to repair said engine, and in the judgment of this Board an exigency exists such as was contemplated by the Legislature in the amendment to the City Charter, page 125, section 53, authorizing the Board charged with the same to furnish materials forthwith, and thereby avoid the ordinary delay of advertising for proposals, therefore,

Resolved, That the Committee on Pumping and Reservoirs of this Board be authorized to proceed forthwith to cause said repairs to be made without advertising for proposals for the same, and that a copy of this resolution be transmitted to the Board of Aldermen, and they be requested to concur therein, as provided for by the City Charter and Supplements thereto.

A communication from the Board of Public Works submitting their 6th general statement as required by law, was presented, received and ordered filed.

A communication from the City Comptroller submitting the following statements, was presented, received and ordered filed:

Jersey City, Jan. 11, 1876.

Claims of 1874-5 not paid, appropriation being exhausted:

Baths and Armories	$1,511 17
Public Grounds and Parks	1,997 23
Public Buildings	165 96
Printing, Stationery and Supplies	265 65
Street signs	100 00
Out-door poor	6,433 87
Killing dogs	189 00
	$10,662 88

Jersey City, Jan. 11, 1876.

Statement of expenditures to date for year ending Nov. 30, 1876:

Board of Aldermen.	Appropriation.	Expended.
For support of out-door poor	$12,000 00	$758 35
For printing, stationery and supplies	5,000 00	129 46
For rent of armory and supplies	4,000 00	246 83
For salaries of City Clerk, Marshal and Overseer of the Poor	5,000 00	416 66
For repairs of public buildings	250 00	70 00
For improvement, repairs and care of public grounds and parks	2,000 00	164 00
For celebration of Fourth of July	3,000 00	
For Decoration Day	200 00	
For bath	1,000 00	
For numbering houses	1,000 00	952 92

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

The Committee on Liquor Licenses reported the following resolution on applications heretofore referred:

Resolved, That licenses be granted to the following named to keep restaurants in the following named places in Jersey City:

First District—Mrs. L. Roeder, 117 Newark avenue; Robert Bowden, 19 Montgomery street; Thomas Bennett, 1 Montgomery street; Budlong & Higgins, 159 and 161 Montgomery street.

Third District—Matthew J. Smith, 330 First street.

Fourth District—Samuel H. Isaacs, 558 Palisade avenue; C. H. Kopf, corner of South street and Sherman avenue.

Sixth District—Martin Doyle, 142 Wayne street.

The report was received.

The resolution was adopted by the following vote, the yeas and nays having been ordered and taken:

Yeas—All the members present, nine in number.

AUDITING OF CLAIMS BY RESOLUTION.

The following resolutions were reported by committees in payment of claims heretofore referred:

By Committee on Alms:

Resolved, That the sum of $70 be paid to Thomas Booth for potatoes for distribution to out-door poor Dec. 14 and 23, 1875.

Resolved, That the sum of $155.40 be paid to Garret Haley for meat for out-door poor during Dec., 1875.

Resolved, That the sum of $26.40 be paid to Augustus Hill for meat for out-door poor from Dec. 3, 1875, to Jan. 3, 1876.

Resolved, That the sum of $81.51 be paid to Jacob Hohman for bread for distribution to out-door poor December 17 to December 30, 1875.

Resolved, That the sum of $30 be paid to Edward Hope Jr., for coffins and wagon hire for burial of out-door poor Dec. 15 and 29, 1875.

Resolved, That the sum of $86.40 be paid to Mrs. S. Hunt for groceries for out-door poor from Dec. 1 to Dec. 31, 1875.

Resolved, That the sum of $29.50 be paid to Mrs. S. Hunt for groceries to out-door poor Dec. 1 to Dec. 31, 1875.

Resolved, That the sum of $129.30 be paid to J. W. Johnson, agent, for meat for out-door poor from Dec. 1 to 31, 1875.

Resolved, That the sum of $163.90 be paid to L. Munkle for bread for distribution to out-door poor Dec. 23, 1875.

Resolved, That the sum of $155 98 be paid to L. Munkle for bread for distribution to out-door poor, Dec. 31, 1875.

Resolved, That the sum of $144 65 be paid to Andrew Scanlon for groceries for distribution to out door poor, from Dec. 1 to 31, 1875.

Resolved, That the sum of $30 be paid to Bryan Smith for keep of horse of Overseer of the Poor for Dec. 1875.

Resolved, That the sum of $64 40 be paid to

Spatz Brothers for groceries for distribution to out-door poor. Dec. 23, 1875.

By Committee on Printing, Stationery and Supplies:

Resolved, That the sum of $29 40 be paid to Hudson County Publishing Association for publishing two ordinances Nov 20, 1875.

The resolutions were adopted.

MISCELLANEOUS BUSINESS.

The following preamble and resolutions were offered by Alderman Smith and adopted:

Whereas, The awning at the junction of Newark ave. and Montgomery st. is lower than the limit prescribed by law, and by reason of the large signs placed thereon without authority is dangerous, and in case of a heavy fall of snow would, from its weight, fall and do much damage; therefore,

Resolved, That the Street Commissioner be requested to cause the immediate removal of the sign boards and signs and braces from the top of said awning.

Resolved, That permission is hereby granted to the owner of property at the junction of Newark avenue and Montgomery street to raise the awning in front of said property to the limit allowed by law.

On motion of Alderman McLaughlin the Board then adjourned.

JOHN E. SCOTT, City Clerk.

Regular meeting at the Aldermanic Chamber, City Hall, Tuesday, Jan. 18, 1876, at 7:30 o'clock P. M.

Present—President Harrison and Aldermen Brown, Helms, Kase, McLaughlin, Powell, Smith, Soule and Van Cleef.

Alderman Wood was absent at the calling of the roll, but subsequently appeared and took his seat.

Absent—Aldermen Meyer, and White.

The minutes of the regular meeting of the 11th inst,. were approved as printed in manual form on motion of Alderman Powell.

PRESENTATION OF PETITIONS, ETC.

Petitions, etc., were presented, received and disposed of as follows:

Petition of Martin Sweeney, for transfer of his restaurant license, No. 625, to No. 383 Monmouth street Second District.

Granted, on motion of Alderman Powell.

Petition of Charles Schmidt, for a license to vend merchandise other than meat, etc.

Granted on motion of Alderman Powell.

For transfer of trade licenses;

Of Robert Gilleland No. 116 to vend meat, etc., to James O'Hare.

Of Thomas Lynch, Junk shop No. 5 to William Madden, at 161 St. Paul's avenue, 5th District.

Granted, on motion of Alderman Smith.

PRESENTATION OF CLAIMS.

Claims were presented, received, and disposed of as follows:

Of Charles Bammesberger, $127.90; James F. Burke, $132.05; John Dust, $73.20; H. Fardelmann, $80.50; Freeman Bros., $204.38; John B. Haight, $186.75; Garret Haley, $87.90; Ferd. A. Hall, $68.50; J. W. Johnson, Agent, $98.40; J. T. McFerran & Co., $162.75; L. Munkel, $218.79; Richard R. Rankin, $14.05; Anton Schick, $333.55; Henry Steinbruck $17.50; and Alexander Sturtevant, $36.90.

Referred to Committee on Alms.

Of J. C. Gas Light Company, $81.08.

Referred to Committee on Baths and Armories.

Of John Battersby, $15; McAvoy Brothers, $64.10; and Robert Miller, $16.50.

Referred to Committee on Printing, Stationery, and Supplies.

Of Geo. B. Lockwood, $10.50; and D. F. Smith & Bro., $3.

Referred to Committee on Public Grounds and Buildings.

OFFICERS' COMMUNICATIONS.

A copy of a resolution adopted by the Board of Finance and Taxation on the 13th inst., requesting the several Boards to furnish to said Board of Finance on or before January 27, 1876, a full statement of all claims or obligations incurred and chargeable to the fiscal year ending Nov. 30, 1875, was presented, received, and ordered filed.

(Alderman Wood appeared and took his seat).

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

The Committee on Liquor Licenses reported the following resolution on applications heretofore referred:

Resolved, That licenses be granted to the following named to keep restaurants at the following named places in Jersey City:

Mrs. B. Donnelly, 40 Sussex street, 1st district; Valentine Zahn, 23 Leonard street, 4th district; Frank Weissmann, 357 Grand street, 6th district.

The report was received.

The resolution was adopted by the following vote, the yeas and nays having been ordered and taken:

Yeas—All the members present, ten in number.

AUDITING OF CLAIMS BY RESOLUTION.

The following resolutions were reported by Committees in payment of claims heretofore referred:

By Committee on Alms:

Resolved, That the sum of $11.11 be paid to Jacob Holmann for bread for out-door poor from Aug. 1, to Sept. 14, 1875.

Resolved, That the sum of $81.90 be paid to James Hunt for meat for out-door poor from Dec. 24, 1875, to January 8, 1876.

Resolved, That the sum of $198.82 be paid to L. Munkel for bread delivered to Overseer of the Poor January 7, 1876, for out-door poor.

Resolved, That the sum of $65 be paid to Anton Schick for groceries for out door poor from Dec. 1st to Dec. 31, 1875.

Resolved, That the sum of $65 10 be paid to Anton Schick for meat for out door poor from Dec. 3 to Dec 31, 1875.

Resolved, That the sum of $85.75 be paid to Spatz Brothers for groceries for out door poor from Dec. 7, 1875, to Jan. 11, 1876.

Resolved, That the sum of $20 be paid to Abraham Speer for coffins and wagon hire for burial of out door poor July 13, 1875 and Jan. 3, 1876.

Resolved, That the sum of $10 be paid to Francis Volk for coffin for burial of out door poor Sept. 2, 1875.

By Committee on Printing, Stationery and Supplies:

Resolved, That the sum of $123.40 be paid to The Argus for printing and advertising Sept. 30 and Dec. 4 to 31, 1875.

Resolved, That the sum of $11.20 be paid to Hackett & McGrath for plumbing and gas fitting at City Hall Dec. 3, 1875.

Resolved, That the sum of $8 be paid to Henry Markstein for towels furnished to City Marshal for use in City Hall Dec. 18, 1875.

Resolved, That the sum of $12 be paid to Michael Seeley, for horse blanket and whip furnished Overseer of the Poor, Jan. 11, 1876.

The resolutions were adopted.

The following resolution was reported by the Committee on Alms, in payment of claim preserted at this meeting:

Resolved, That the sum of $14.05 be paid to Richard R. Rankin, for services as Justice of the Peace in abandonment cases.

The resolution was adopted.

MISCELLANEOUS BUSINESS.

The following resolution was offered by Alderman Soule and adopted:

Resolved, That the Committee on Streets be authorized to cause the street names now in possession of the city to be properly placed, at a cost not to exceed thirty-five dollars, and that the committee be requested to secure the services of the Lamp Inspector to supervise the work.

The following entitled ordinance was presented by Alderman Kase, and the same was received, laid upon the table and ordered to be printed on slips for the use of the Board:

"An ordinance to repeal an ordinance passed August 17, 1875, amendatory to the ordinance concerning hack drivers, omnibus drivers and porters," passed June 6, 1871.

On motion of Alderman Brown the Board then adjourned.

JOHN E. SCOTT, City Clerk.

Regular meeting at the Aldermanic Chamber, City Hall, Tuesday, January 25th, 1876, at 7½ o'clock, P. M.

Present—President Harrison and Aldermen Brown, Helms, Kase, McLaughlin, Meyer, Smith and Soule.

Alderman White was absent at the calling of the roll but subsequently appeared and took his seat.

Absent—Aldermen Powell, Van Cleef and Wood.

The minutes of the regular meeting of the 18th inst., were approved as printed in manual form, on motion of Alderman Smith.

PRESENTATION OF PETITIONS, ETC.

Petitions were presented, received, and disposed of as follows:

Petition of Patrick Hanley for permission to remove a frame building from rear of school No. 6, through Oakland avenue to Beacon avenue.

Granted, on motion of Alderman Helms.

Petition of Patrick Dowling for permission to remove a frame building from No. 35 Steuben street to corner 2d and Merseles streets.

Granted on motion of Alderman McLaughlin.

Petition of J. and T. McCaffrey for a license to keep a restaurant at 416 Grove street, Third District.

Referred to Committee on Liquor Licenses.

For transfer of restaurant licenses:

Of Patrick McGowan, No. 766, to A. Hart.

Of John M. Schreek, No. 777, to Robert Wolf.

Granted on motion of Alderman McLaughlin.

Petition of Michael J. Thompson for a license to vend merchandise other than meat, fish, &c.

Referred to Committee on Trade Licenses.

Petition of A. Kieswitter, Jr., for transfer of his license to vend meat, fish, &c, to William Conklin.

Granted on motion of Alderman Smith.

PRESENTATION OF CLAIMS.

Claims were presented, received and disposed of as follows:

Of D. W. Benjamin, $67.50; George Broughton, $89.70; Patrick Cronin, $159.25; G. Gannon, $33 60; Ferd A. Hall, $140 50; P. Kitrick, $81.75; M. G Lennon, $90; B. McAnally & Son, $90.50; L. Munkle, $175.17; Anton Schick, $126 40; Spatz Brothers, $84, and Henry H. Voss, $68.25.

Referred to Committee on Alms.

Of Hugh F. McDermott, $27.30, and James Ray, $5.75.

Referred to Committee on Printing, Stationery and Supplies

OFFICER'S COMMUNICATIONS.

The Fifth annual report of the Board of Fire Commissioners for the year ending December 31, 1875, was presented, received and ordered filed.

(Alderman White appeared and took his seat.

AUDITING OF CLAIMS BY RESOLUTION.

The following resolutions were reported by Committees in payment of claims heretofore referred:

By Committee on Alms:

Resolved, That the sum of $127.90 be paid to Charles Bammesberger for meat for out door poor from Dec. 3, 1875 to January 17, 1876.

Resolved, That the sum of $132.05 be paid to James T. Burke for groceries to out-door poor, from Dec. 1, 1875 to January 18, 1876.

Resolved, That the sum of $73.20 be paid to John Dust for meat delivered to out-door poor, from Dec. 3, 1875 to January 18, 1876.

Resolved, That the sum of $80.50 be paid to H. Fardelman for groceries for out door poor, from Dec. 1, 1875 to January 18, 1876.

Resolved, That the sum of $204.38 be paid to Freeman Brothers, for bread furnished for out-door poor, from Dec. 24, 1875 to January 14, 1876.

Resolved; That the sum of $186.75 be paid to John B. Haight, for groceries for out-door poor, from Dec. 1, 1875 to January 15, 1876.

Resolved, That the sum of $87.90 be paid to Garret Haley, for meat furnished to out-door poor, from January 1 to January 15, 1876.

Resolved, That the sum of $68 50 be paid to Ferd. A. Hall for groceries furnished for out-door poor, from Dec. 13, 1875 to January 15, 1876.

Resolved, That the sum of $98.40 be paid to J. W. Johnson, agent, for meat delivered to out-door poor from Jan. 1 to 18, 1876.

Resolved, That the sum of $162.75 be paid to J. T. McFerran & Co. for groceries for out door poor from Dec. 24, 1875, to Jan. 15, 1876,

Resolved, That the sum of $218.79 be paid to L. Munkel for bread for distribution to out-door poor delivered Jan. 14, 1876.

Resolved, That the sum of $333.55 be paid to Anton Schick for groceries delivered to out-door poor from Jan. 1 to 15, 1876.

Resolved, That the sum of $17.50 be paid to Henry Steinbruck for coal for out-door poor.

Resolved, That the sum of $26.90 be paid to Alex. Sturtevant for meat furnished to out-door poor from Dec 17, 1875, to Jan. 17, 1876.

By Committee on Printing, Stationery, and Supplies:

Resolved, That the sum of $15 be paid to John Battersby for new halliards, and reaving the same, Dec. 16, 1875.

Resolved, That the sum of $64.10 be paid to McAvoy Brothers for stationery for City Clerk's office from Dec. 10, 1875, to Jan. 13, 1876.

Resolved, That the sum of $16.50 be paid to Robert Miller for wood delivered to Overseer of the Poor.

Resolved, That a warrant be drawn on the City Treasurer in favor of Pangborn, Dunning & Dear for $25.20 for advertising ordinances.

The resolutions were adopted.

The following resolution was reported by the Committee on Alms in payment of claim presented at this meeting.

Resolved, That the sum of $68 25 be paid to Henry H. Voss for groceries for out door poor from Dec 31, 1875, to Jan. 22, 1876.

The resolution was adopted.

MISCELLANEOUS BUSINESS.

On motion of Alderman Kase, the following entitled ordinance, presented on the 18th inst., was taken from the table for consideration, viz:

An ordinance to repeal an ordinance passed August 17, 1875, amendatory to the ordinance concerning hack drivers, omnibus drivers and porters, passed June 6, 1871.

The ordinance was passed by the following vote, the yeas and nays haring been ordered and taken:

Yeas — President Harrison, and Aldermen Brown, Helms, Kase, McLaughlin, Meyer, Smith, Soule and White.

Nays—None.

The following resolution was offered by Alderman Soule and adopted.

Resolved, That warrants be drawn on the city Treasurer in favor of the following named, for payment of salaries for January, 1876, when due, viz:

John E. Scott, City Clerk, $250; Timothy Long, City Marshal, $83.34; John E. Hewitt, Overseer of the Poor, $83 34.

On motion of Alderman McLaughlin, the Board then adjourned.

JOHN E. SCOTT, City Clerk.

Regular meeting at the Aldermanic Chamber, City Hall, Tuesday, February 1st, 1876, at 7½ o'clock, P. M.

Present—President Harrison and Aldermen Brown, Kase, Helms, McLaughlin, Smith, Soule and Van Cleef.

Absent—Aldermen Helms, Meyer, Powell, White and Wood.

The minutes of the regular meeting of January 25 th, 1876, were approved as printed in manual form, on motion of Alderman Brown.

PRESENTATION OF PETITIONS, ETC.

Petitions etc, were presented, received, and disposed of as follows:

Invitation from Company A, Fourth regiment N. G. S. N. J., to attend the 10th annual reception at McPherson's hall on Friday evening, February 18th, 1876.

Accepted.

Petition of Mary E. Thayer, owner, for permission to erect a sign in front of 101 Montgomery street, for the use and benefit of Frank Stevens.

Granted on motion of Alderman Kase.

Petition of Joseph Rafferty, for permission to erect a sign over sidewalk in front of his premises, 351 First street, for the benefit of Michael Burns.

Granted on motion of Alderman McLaughlin.

Petition of F. Shaw for permission to move a frame building on Bergen avenue about 500 feet, and to place a sign in front of premises on Bergen avenue near Greenville avenue.

Referred to Committee on Streets.

Petition of F. Grady for permission to place a sign over sidewalk in front of his premises on Merseles avenue between plank road and Ocean avenue.

Referred to Committee on Streets.

For transfer of restaurant licenses:

Of Reilly & Co., No. 352, to C. V. Fidderson.

Of Adolph W. Elmquest, No. 197, to Ommund Gundeson.

Of Mrs. A. May, No. 129, to 328 Newark avenue, Second District.

Of F. L. Farrant, No. 703, to 13 Hoboken avenue, Fifth District.

Of Johann Mack, No. 346, to Hugo W. Fredericks, Grand street opposite Pacific avenue, Second District.

Granted on motion of Alderman McLaughlin.

PRESENTATION OF CLAIMS.

Claims were presented, received and disposed of as follows:

Of Daniel Brennan, $62.40; James T. Burke, $59.50; James Donnelly, $52; R. G. Dudley, $99; Duff & Meenan, $30 and $30; Michael Eagan, $77.70; Gillen & Keilt, $143.90; John B. Haight, $94 75; Garret Haley, $90.60; A. J. Hall, $40; J. V. W. Halstead, $ 9 87; Augustus Hill, $73.20; Patrick Hogan, $61.50; Jacob Hohmann, $117.40; Edward Hope, Jr. $10; James Hunt, $90.30; Sarah Hunt, $66.75 and $51.60; J. T. McKerran & Co., $ 38 75; Michael Miggins, $116.50; L. Munkle, $163.40; Andrew Scanlon, $206.25; Anton Schick, $144.50; Bryan Smith, $30; Alex. Sturtevant, $40.80; and Francis Volk, $10.

Referred to Committee on Alms.

Bergen Library Association, $100; N. B. Shafer, $190.84.

Referred to Committee on Baths and Armories.

McAvoy Brothers, $158.40, and Patrick Nicholas, $32.50.

Referred to Committee on Printing, Stationery and Supplies.

John Fitzpatrick, $48; John Higgins, $48; Michael Kerrigan, $48, and Geo. B. Lockwood, $6.

Referred to Committee on Public Grounds and Buildings.

OFFICERS' COMMUNICATIONS.

The annual reports of the Board of Finance and Taxation, and Board of Police Commissioners, were presented, received and ordered filed.

The following report from the City Comptroller, was presented, received, and ordered filed:

Statement of expenditures to February 1, 1876, on account of appropriations for fiscal year commencing December 1, 1875:

Board of Aldermen:

	Appropriation.	Expended.	Unexpended.
Out-door poor	$12 000 00	$2,457 41	$9,542 59
Printing, stationery and supplies	5,000 00	285 06	4,714 94
Rent of armories and supplies	4,000 00	246 83	3,753 17
Salaries	5.000 00	833 32	4,166 68
Repairs to public buildings	250 00	50 00	200 00
Public grounds, improvement and repairs	2,000 00	164 00	1,833 00
Public bath	1,000 00		1,000 00
Fourth of July	3,000 00		3,000 00
Decoration Day	200 00		200 00
Numbering of houses	1,000 00	952 92	47 08

The City Clerk presented a report of the approval by the Mayor, January 27, 1876, of the ordinance passed January 25. 1876. repealing the ordinance passed August 17, 1875, amendatory to the ordinance concerning Hack Drivers, &c.

The report was received and ordered filed.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

The Committee on Liquor Licenses reported the following resolution on petition heretofore referred:

Resolved, That a license be granted to J. & T. McCaffrey, to keep a Restaurant at 416 Grove street, in the Third District.

The report was received

The resolution was adopted by the following vote, the yeas and nays having been ordered and taken:

Yeas—All the members present—seven in number.

The Committee on Trade Licenses reported the following resolution on application heretofore referred.

Resolved, That a license to vend any other merchandise than and excepting meat, fish, fruit, vegetables, kindling wood, cigars and tobacco, from a wagon, cart or other vehicle in Jersey City, be issued by the Mayor and City Clerk under the corporate seal of the city, to Michael J. Thompson, on his paying the license fees.

The report was received and the resolution adopted.

AUDITING OF CLAIMS BY RESOLUTION.

The following resolutions were reported by Committees in payment of claims heretofore referred:

By Committee on Alms:

Resolved, That the sum of $67.50 be paid to D. W. Benjamin, for meat for out-door poor, from Dec. 3, 1875 to January 22, 1876.

Resolved, That the sum of $89.70 be paid to George Broughton for groceries and meat for out-door poor, from Dec. 31, 1875 to January 22, 1876.

Resolved, That the sum of $159.25 be paid to Patrick Cronin for groceries for out-door poor from Dec. 3, 1875 to January 22, 1876.

Resolved, That the sum of $33.60 be paid to G. Gannon, for meat for out-door poor, from Dec. 31, 1875, to January 22, 1876.

Resolved, That the sum of $140 50 be paid to Ferd. A. Hall for groceries for out-door poor, from January 7 to January 21, 1876.

Resolved, That the sum of $81.75 be paid to Patrick Kitrick for groceries for out door poor, from Dec. 31, 1875 to January 22, 1876.

Resolved, That the sum of $10 be paid to M. G. Lennon for coffin, &c., in burial of Patrick McGreen, Jan. 22, 1876.

Resolved, That the sum of $90.50 be paid to B. McAnally & Sons, for groceries for out-door poor, from Dec. 30, 1875, to January 22, 1876.

Resolved, That the sum of $175.17 be paid to L. Munkle for bread delivered to Overseer of Poor, January 21, 1876.

Resolved, That the sum of $126.40 be paid to Anton Schick for groceries for out-door poor, from January 18 to January 24, 1876.

Resolved, That the sum of $84 be paid to Spatz Brothers, for meat for out-door poor, from January 11 to January 25, 1876.

By Committee on Printing, Stationery, and Supplies:

Resolved, That the sum of $27.30 be paid to

Hugh F. McDermott for advertising ordinances Nov. 20, 1875.

Resolved, That the sum of $5.75 be paid to Ja es Ray for repairing heaters in City Hall.

By Committee on Public Grounds and Buildings:

Resolved. That the sum of $10.50 be paid to George B. Lockwood for plumbing work, etc., at City Hall.

Resolved, That the sum of $3 be paid to D. F. Smith & Bro., for sprinkling pot.

The resolutions were adopted.

The following resolutions were reported by the Committee on Public Grounds and Buildings in payment of claim presented at this meeting;

Resolved, That the sum of $48 be paid to John Fitzpatrick for services as keeper of Washington square for January, 1876.

Resolved, That the sum of $48 be paid to Michael Kerrigan for services as keeper of Van Vorst square for January, 1876.

Resolved, That the sum of $48 be paid to John Higgins for services as keeper of Hamilton square for January, 1876.

The resolutions were adopted.

MISCELLANEOUS BUSINESS.

The following preamble and resolution were offered by Alderman Kase and adopted

Whereas, The appropriations, as fixed by the Board of Finance and Taxation, are insufficient to meet the expenses on account of armories, the present rental of which nearly equals the amount fixed for such purpose, leaving nothing for gas and other necessary expenses.

Resolved, That any monies to be expended for such purpose should, in the opinion of this Board, be made for such military as may be attached to the Fourth Regiment only, which organization belongs specially to Jersey City.

Resolved, That the rental of Pratt's Hall, Palisade avenue, for the use of "B" company, 9th Regiment, N. G. S. N. J. cease May 1, 1876.

The following resolution was offered by Alderman Soule and adopted.

Resolved, That the sum of $2 be paid to J. E. Scott, City Clerk, to refund amount paid January 3, 1876, to Secretary of State for certified copy of chapter 451, laws of 1875.

On motion of Alderman Van Cleef it was

Resolved, That permission be granted to Keeney & Snow to remove a frame building from north side of Morgan street, about 200 feet east of Greene street, to the east side of Greene street, 50 feet from the southeast corner of Greene and Morgan streets, through Morgan street to Greene street, and southerly through Greene street about 50 feet.

On motion of Alderman Van Cleef the Board then adjourned.

JOHN E. SCOTT, City Clerk.

Regular meeting at the Aldermanic Chamber, City Hall, Tuesday, February 8, 1876, at 7½ o'clock P. M.

In the absence of the President at the hour of meeting, the Board was called to order by the City Clerk.

Present—Aldermen Brown, Helms, Kase, McLaughlin, Meyer, Powell, Smith, Soule, Van Cleef, White and Wood.

President Harrison was absent at the calling of the roll, but subsequently appeared and took his seat.

On motion of Alderman Smith, Alderman McLaughlin was appointed President pro tempore.

The minutes of the regular meeting of the 1st inst. were approved as printed in manual form, on motion of Alderman Powell.

PRESENTATION OF PETITIONS, ETC.

Petitions, etc., were presented, received and disposed of as follows:

Petition of Albert J. Jardine, for permission to place a sign around post in front of 117 Montgomery street.

Referred to Committee on Streets.

Petition of John N. Rapp, for permission to erect a sign over sidewalk in front of his premises on Monticello avenue, near Bergen avenue.

Granted, on motion of Alderman Kase.

For transfer of Restaurant Licenses:

Bridget Donnelly, No. 858 to 61 Gregory street, 1st District.

Thomas C. McKeon, No. 261 to Thomas Mackin.

H. Steffens, No. 769 to 595 Grove street, 2d District.

Granted on motion of Alderman Smith.

For Trade Licenses:

Of Henry King and Joseph Whiton to vend meat, fish, fruit and vegetables.

Of Jacob Solinski to vend merchandise.

Referred to Committee on Trade Licenses.

For transfer of Trade Licenses—To vend meat, etc.

Of A. Christman to Joseph Freund.

Frederick Knoedel to Charles Hildebrandt.

Granted on motion of Alderman Powell.

PRESENTATION OF CLAIMS.

Claims were presented, received, and disposed of as follows:

Of James T. Burke, $47.50; Patrick Cronin, $60; H. Fardelmann, $95.25; Freeman Bros., $162.97; Ferd. A. Hall, $189.90; Christian Hensel, $133.48; George Hierspiel, $40.50; J. W. Johnson, Agent, $43.50; W. M. Kelly, $68.25; Patrick Kitrick, $37.50; B. McAnally & Sons, $62.70; James McGuire, $143; P. Malone, $91.25; L. Munkle, $171.16; Anton Schick, $137.25 and $120.25; Thomas K. Simpson, $112.75; Spatz Bros, $85, and Henry H. Voss, $147.

Referred to Committee on Alms.

Of The Argus, $49.40; Patrick Cunningham, $12; R. Miller, $16.50,

Referred to Committee on Printing, Stationery and Supplies.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

The Committee on Streets reported the following resolutions on applications, referred to the said committee on the 1st inst:

Resolved, That permission is hereby granted to F. Thau to move a frame building along Bergen avenue about 500 feet, provided the work is done within thirty days from this date.

Resolved, That permission is hereby granted to F. Thau to place a sign over the sidewalk in front of his premises on Bergen avenue, near Greenville avenue, in the manner prescribed by law.

Resolved, That permission is hereby granted to F. Grady to erect a sign over the sidewalk in front of his premises on Merseles avenue, between the Plank road and Ocean avenue, in the manner prescribed by law.

The reports were received and the resolutions severally adopted.

(President Harrison appeared and took his seat.)

AUDITING OF CLAIMS BY RESOLUTION.

The following resolutions were reported by committees in payment of claims heretofore referred.

By Committee on Alms:

Resolved, That the sum of $62.40 be paid to Daniel Brennan, for meat for out-door poor, from December 17, 1875, to January 29, 1876.

Resolved, That the sum of $59.50 be paid to James T. Burke, for groceries for out-door poor, from January 18 to February 1, 1876.

Resolved, That the sum of $52 be paid to James Donnelly for coal for out door poor from Dec. 3, 1875, to Jan. 29, 1876.

Resolved, That the sum of $99 be paid to R. G. Dudley for groceries for out door poor during Dec., 1875, and Jan., 1876.

Resolved, That the sum of $30 be paid to Duff & Meehan for coffins and wagon hire for burial of out door poor from Sept. 16 to Oct. 24, 1875.

Resolved, That the sum of $30 be paid to Duff & Meehan for coffins, &c., for burial of out door poor from Dec. 13, 1875, to Jan. 28, 1876.

Resolved, That the sum of $77.70 be paid to Michael Egan for meat for out door poor from Dec 3, 1875, to Jan. 29, 1876.

Resolved, That the sum of $143 90 be paid to Gillen & Keill for coal for out door poor from Dec. 1, 1875, to Jan. 31, 1876.

Resolved, That the sum of $94.75 be paid to John B. Haight for groceries for out door poor from Jan. 21st to 26th inclusive, 1876.

Resolved, That the sum of $90.60 be paid to Garret Haley for meat for out door poor from Jan. 17th, to Jan. 31, 1876.

Resolved, That the sum of $40 be paid to A. J. Hall for coffins, &c., for burial of out door poor from Dec. 30, 1875, to Jan. 31, 1876.

Resolved, That the sum of $39 87 be paid to I. V. W. Halstead for bread furnished for out door poor Jan. 21st and 28, 1876.

Resolved, That the sum of $73.20 be paid to Augustus Hill for meat for out door poor from Jan. 3d to Feb. 1, 1876.

Resolved, That the sum of $51.50 be paid to Patrick Hogan for groceries for out door poor from Dec. 3, 1875, to Jan. 31, 1876.

Resolved, That the sum of $117.40 be paid to Jacob Hohmann for bread for out-door poor from Jan. 1 to Jan 31, 1876.

Resolved, That the sum of $10 be paid to Edward Hope, Jr., for coffin, &c., for burial of out-door poor, Jan 29, 1876.

Resolved, That the sum of $90.30 be paid to James Hunt for meat for out-door poor from Jan 8 to Feb. 1, 1876.

Resolved, That the sum of $66.75 be paid to Sarah Hunt for groceries for out-door poor from Jan. 1 to Feb. 1, 1876.

Resolved, That the sum of $51.60 be paid to Sarah Hunt for meat for out-door poor from Jan. 1 to Feb. 1, 1876.

Resolved, That the sum of $138.75 be paid to J. T. McFerran & Co. for groceries for out-door poor from Jan, 15 to Jan. 29, 1876.

Resolved, That the sum of $116.50 be paid to Michael Miggins for groceries for out-door poor, from Dec. 3, 1875 to January 31, 1876.

Resolved, That the sum of $163.46 be paid to L. Munkle for bread delivered to Overseer of Poor, January 28, 1876.

Resolved, That the sum of $206.25 be paid to Andrew Scanlon for groceries for out-door poor from January 1st to January 31st, 1876.

Resolved, That the sum of $144.50 be paid to Anton Schick for groceries for out-door poor from January 24 to January 31, 1876.

Resolved, That the sum of $30 be paid to Bryan Smith for keeping horse for Overseer of the Poor for January. 1876,

Resolved, That the sum of $40.80 be paid to Alexander Sturtevant for meat for out-door poor from January 17 to January 31, 1876.

Resolved, That the sum of $10 be paid to Francis Volk for coffin, &c., for burial of out-door poor Jan. 12, 1876.

By Committee on Baths and Armories:

Resolved, That the sum of $100 be paid to Bergen Library Association for rent of armory for D Co., 4th Regt., N. G. S. N. J., for quarter ending Jan. 31, 1876,

Resolved, That the sum of $81.08 be paid to Jersey City Gaslight Co., for gas consumed in drill room from Oct. 1, 1875, to Jan. 1, 1876.

Resolved, That the sum of $190.84 be paid to N. B. Shafer, for rent of armory 27 and 29 Newark avenue, for January, 1876.

By Committee on Printing, Stationery and Supplies:

Resolved, That the sum of $158.40 be paid to

McAvoy Brothers for stationery, books, &c. for Overseer of the Poor.

Resolved, That the sum of $32.50 be paid to Patrick Nicholas for coal for City Hall Jan. 31, and Feb. 1, 1876.

By Committee on Public Grounds and Buildings:

Resolved, That the sum of $6 be paid to George B. Lockwood for repairs to water closet and basins, January 28, 1876.

The resolutions were adopted.

The Committee on Printing, Stationery and Supplies reported the following resolution in payment of claim presented at this meeting:

Resolved, That the sum of $16.50 be paid to R. Miller for three loads of wood for City Hall, February 8, 1876.

The resolution was adopted.

On motion of Alderman Brown, the Board then adjourned.

JOHN E. SCOTT, City Clerk.

Regular meeting at the Aldermanic Chamber, City Hall, Tuesday February 15th, 1876, at 7½ o'clock P. M.

Present—President Harrison and Aldermen Brown, Helms, McLaughlin, Meyer, Powell, Smith, Soule, and Wood.

Absent—Aldermen Kase, Van Cleef, and White.

The minutes of the regular meeting of the 8th inst. were approved as printed in manual form, on motion of Alderman Brown.

PRESENTATION OF PETITIONS, ETC.

Petitions etc, were presented, received, and disposed of as follows:

Invitation to attend 6th annual ball of Charity Club at Kepler Hall on Monday evening Feb. 21, 1876. Accepted.

Petition of Dr. I. N. Quimby for permission to erect a sign over sidewalk in front of his premises No. 347 2d street.

Referred to Committee on Streets.

Petition of James Rouen for permission to erect an awning over sidewalk in front of his premises No. 394 Palisade avenue.

Granted on motion of Alderman Powell.

Petition of George E. Mott for permission to erect a sign over sidewalk at 582 Palisade avenue.

Granted on motion of Alderman Powell.

Petition of Edward Ritz for permission to erect a barber's pole in front of his premises No 386 Palisade avenue.

Granted on motion of Alderman Helms.

Petition of John Gehm for permission to erect a pole on which to place a sign in front of his premises, 43 Coles street.

Granted on motion of Alderman McLaughlin.

For transfer of Restaurant Licenses:

Of Jno. Commerdinger, No. 635 to 291 Warren street, 1st District, John Dunn, No 789 to Matthew Cairnes; C. J. Doran, No. 147 from Edward Losey.

Granted on motion of Alderman McLaughlin.

For Trade Licenses:

Of Wm A. Blakey to vend meat, fish, fruit and vegetables.

W. D. Thompson, to vend merchandise.

Granted on motion of Alderman Powell.

PRESENTATION OF CLAIMS.

Claims were presented, received, and disposed of as follows:

Of Douglass, Blum & Co., $144 62; Daniel Brennan, $29 40; George Broughton, $17 95; Jas. T. Burke, $51; Mrs. James Caffray, $69 75; Patrick Cronin, $41 75; James Donnelly, $120 25; R. G. Dudley, $66; John Dust, $105 90; M. Eagan, $32 70; H. Fardelman, $40 25; T. J. Fiannelly, $64 50; Gilbert Gannon, $65 55; Gilen & Kenit, $56 16; John B. Haight, $97; Garret Haley, $77 40; Ferd A. Hall, $134 75; I. V. W. Halstead, $54 61; Martin Hare, $82 75; Patrick Hogan, $24 55; Jacob Hohmann, $60 33; Wm. Hughes, $10; James Hunt, $65 60; Mrs. S. Hunt, $57 30; Patrick Kitrick, $33 75; Thomas Lally, $22 50; B. McAnally & Sons, $35; J. T. McFerran & Co., $150; Patrick Malone, $48; L. Munkle, $157 74; E. Murphy, $26; F. Naughton, $50 and $20; Charles L. Northrup, $91; Michael O'Grady, $174 50; James Reilly, $158 50; Andrew Scanlon, $137 50; Anton Schick, $143 75 and $29 25; Frederick Schroeder, $33 60; Thomas K. Simpson, $58 57; Spatz Bros., $43 50; Henry Steinbruek, $113 75; Henry Stiff, $10 and $15; Alexander Sturtevant, $46 80; Daniel Sullivan, $7 20; Mrs. P. Sullivan, $23 75; I. and W. W. Van Cleef, $75 75; Henry H. Voss, $94 25; Henry Windecker, $94 50, and John J. Wittpenn $112 50.

Referred to Committee on Alms.

OFFICERS COMMUNICATIONS.

The following report from the City Comptroller was presented, received and ordered filed.

Statement of expenditures to February 15, 1876, on account of appropriations for fiscal year commencing Dec. 1, 1875:

Board of Aldermen.	Appropriation.	Expended.	Unexpended.
Out-door Poor	$12,000 00	$7,522 83	$4,477 17
Printing, Stationery and Supplies	5,000 00	592 81	4,407 09
Rent of Armories and Supplies	4,000 00	618 75	3,381 25
Salaries City Clerk, Marshal and Overseer of the Poor	5,000 00	833 34	4,166 66
Repairs to Public Buildings	250 00	56 00	194 00
Public Grounds Improvement and Repairs	2,000 00	308 00	1,692 00
Public Bath	1,000 00		1,000 00
Fourth of July	3,000 00		3,000 00
Decoration Day	200 00		200 00
Numbering Houses	1,000 00	952 92	47 08

The following report was presented, received, and on motion of Alderman McLaughlin ordered to be entered at large on the minutes:

To the Honorable the Board of Aldermen:

Gentlemen—I respectfully submit to your honorable body the following report, from May 18, 1875, the date of my taking possession of the office of Overseer of the Poor until August 17, 187-, (when I received notice from your honorable body to discontinue giving relief until further orders) I was relieving about one hundred and twenty families composed of about five hundred persons, at an expense to the city of about one dollar per family weekly, not including the burial of the dead, transportation of non-resident poor beyond the county limits, prosecuting a number of cases of abandonment and bastardy. From the date last named until Dec. 1st, 1875, I gave relief only in such cases as under the general laws of the State I was compelled to, such as giving relief in cases of sickness or of extreme need and burying the dead poor. From December 1st, 1875, up to date, I have been giving relief to twelve hundred and ninety-eight families, containing five thousand six hundred and seventy-one persons, an average of more than four persons to a family. The stopping of work on the tunnel, the discharging of employes on the different railroads, reduction of the wages and hours of labor of those still employed, and the extreme dull times generally has increased the number of applications for relief beyond expectations. The amount of money appropriated being almost expended, I would recommend that your honorable body take some immediate action towards providing some means for the relief of the poor for the balance of the year.

I further report that I have removed to the county almshouse three hundred and nineteen persons; also that I have received thirty-three dollars, expenses incurred by the city in bastardy cases, and have expended twenty-four dollars and eighty-five cents for transportation of non resident poor and other incidental expenses, leaving a balance in my possession of eight dollars and fifteen cents.

I am, very respectfully,

JOHN E. HEWITT.

Overseer of the Poor.

The City Clerk laid before the Board a certified copy of Chapter 3, Laws of New Jersey, 1876, entitled "A supplement to an act entitled An act for the punishment of crimes," approved March 27, 1874. The act was read.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

The Committee on Trade Licenses reported the following resolutions on applications heretofore referred:

Resolved, That licenses to vend meat, fish, fruit and vegetables from a wagon, cart or other vehicle in Jersey City be issued by the Mayor and City Clerk, under the corporate seal of the city to Henry King and Joseph Whiton on their paying the licenee fees.

Resolved, That a license to vend any other merchandise than and excepting meat, fish, fruit, vegetables, kindling wood, cigars and tobacco from a wagon, cart or other vehicle in Jersey City be issued by the Mayor and City Clerk under the corporate seal of the city to Jacob Soliniskilon his paying his license fees.

The reports were received and the resolutions adopted.

AUDITING OF CLAIMS BY RESOLUTION.

The following resolutions were reported by committees in payment of claims heretofore referred.

By Committee on Alms:

Resolved, That the sum of $47.50 be paid to James T. Burke, for groceries for out-door poor, from September 1st to December 1, 1875.

Resolved, That the sum of $60 be paid to Patrick Croninffor groceries for out-door poor from January 21, to Feb. 4, 1876.

Resolved, That the sum of $95.25 be paid to H. Fardelman for groceries for out door poor from Jan. 18 to Feb. 7. 1876.

Resolved, That the sum of $162 97 be paid to Freeman Bros., for bread for out door poor, from Jan. 21st to Feb 4, 1876.

Resolved, That the sum of $189.90 be paid to Ferd. A. Hall for groceries for out-door poor, from January 25 to Feb 6, 1876.

Resolved, That the sum of $123.48 be paid to Christian Hensel, for bread for out door poor from Jan. 7 to Feb. 5, 1876.

Resolved, That the sum of $45.50 be paid to George Hierspel for shoes for out-door poor from Dec. 3, 1875 to Feb. 8, 1876.

Resolved, That the sum of $43.50 be paid to J. W. Johnson, Agent, for meat for out door poor, from Jan. 18 to Feb. 8, 1876.

Resolved, That the sum of $68 25 be paid to W. M. Kelly, for coal for out door poor from Dec. 3, 1875, to Feb. 5, 1876.

Resolved, That the sum of $67.50 be paid to Patrick Kitrick for groceries for out door poor from Jan. 21 to Feb. 5, 1876.

Resolved, That the sum of $62.70 be paid to B. McAnally & Sons, for groceries for out door poor from Jan. 28 to Feb. 4, 1876.

Resolved, That the sum of $143.00 be paid to James McGuire, for coal for out door poor from Jan. 2d to Feb. 5, 1876.

Resolved, That the sum of $91.25 be paid to P. Malone for groceries for out door poor from Dec. 31, 1875 to Jan. 28, 1876.

Resolved, That the sum of $171.16 be paid to L. Munkle for bread delivered to Overseer of the Poor, for out door poor Feb. 4, 1876.

Resolved, That the sum of $137.25 be paid to Anton Schick for groceries for out door poor from Feb. 1 to Feb. 8. 1876.

Resolved, That the sum of $120.25 be paid to Anton Schick for coal for out door poor from Jan. 20 to Feb. 8, 1876.

Resolved, That the sum of $112 75 be paid to Thomas K Simpson for bread for out door poor from Jan. 27 to Feb. 4, 1876.

Resolved, That the sum of $85 be paid to Spatz Brothers for groceries for out door poor from Jan. 25 to Feb. 8, 1876.

Resolved, That the sum of $147 be paid to Henry H. Voss for groceries and meat for out door poor from Jan. 23 to Feb. 4, 1876.

By Committee on Printing, Stationery, and Supplies:

Resolved, That the sum of $49 40 be paid to the Argus for advertising and printing from Jan. 19 to 31, 1876.

Resolved, That the sum of $12 be paid to Patrick Cunningham for work in cellar of City Hall for January, 1876.

The resolutions were adopted.

The Committee on Alms reported the following resolution in payment of claim presented at this meeting.

Resolved, That the sum of $65 50 be paid to Robert Miller for wood for out door poor from Feb. 10 to 15, 1876.

The resolution was adopted.

MISCELLANEOUS BUSINESS.

The following resolution was offered by President Harrison and adopted:

Resolved, That when this Board adjourns it will adjourn to meet at the Aldermanic Chamber on Tuesday the 29th inst., at 7½ o'clock P. M.

On motion of Alderman Smith the Board took a recess for five minutes.

(During the recess Alderman Meyer retired.)

On reassembling the following preamble and resolution were offered by Alderman Smith:

Whereas, The appropriation for relief of out-door poor is exhausted at a time when business is exceedingly dull, when our large corporations are stopping work and manufactures, and by the report of the Overseer of the Poor some five thousand or more in our midst are compelled to depend upon such relief as the city can afford; and

Whereas, In the face of these facts the appropriation is less than one-half the amount necessarily expended last year.

Resolved, That a special committee of three be appointed to proceed to Trenton and confer with the members of the Legislature from Jersey City and procure such legislative aid as will enable Jersey City to care for and relieve her indigent poor.

The preamble and resolution were adopted, and Aldermen Smith, Soule and Powell were appointed the committee.

The following resolution was offered by Alderman Smith and adopted:

Resolved, That the Overseer of the Poor be directed to discontinue issuing relief to out-door poor from this date and until further orders.

On motion of Alderman McLaughlin, the Board then adjourned.

JOHN E. SCOTT, City Clerk.

Regular meeting at the Aldermanic Chamber, City Hall, Tuesday February 29th, 1876, at 7½ o'clock P. M.

Present—All the members of the Board.

The minutes of the regular meeting of the 15th inst. were approved as printed in manual form, on motion of Alderman Brown.

PRESENTATION OF PETITIONS, ETC.

Petitions, etc., were presented, received and disposed of as follows:

Petition of John T. Tise for permission to erect an awning in front of his premises, 653½ Newark avenue.

Granted on motion of Alderman Powell.

Petition of I. N. Quimby, M. D., for permission to erect a sign over the sidewalk in front of his premises, 347 Second street, for the benefit of his tenant, F. Watermeyer.

Granted on motion of Alderman Van Cleef.

Petition of N. G. Vreeland for permission to remove a one-story frame building through Grand street to Communipaw avenue, and through Communipaw avenue to Monticello avenue.

Granted on motion of Alderman Van Cleef. Subsequently on motion of the same Alderman such action was reconsidered, and the petition was then referred to the Committee on Streets.

Petition of Charles Loeffler for permission to construct a vault under sidewalk on Bramhall, near Ocean avenue.

Granted, on motion of Alderman Helms.

Petition of C. Dierckson for permission to remove a frame building across Laidlaw avenue, between Oakland and Bonner avenues.

Granted, on motion of Alderman Helms.

Petition of Joseph F. Finn for permission to move his barn (18 feet square) along the old Bergen road about 800 or 900 feet to Linden avenue.

Granted, on motion of Alderman McLaughlin.

Petition of Georgine F. Dilloway and Susan M. Dickson for permission to place a sign over the sidewalk in front of store corner of Danforth avenue and old Bergen Point road.

Granted, on motion of Alderman McLaughlin.

Petition of Co. F, Fourth Regiment, N. G. S. N. J., for papering of walls of company rooms.

Referred to Committee on Baths and Armories.

Petition of Henry V. Hecker & Co., flour dealers of New York City, for permission to serve customers in Jersey City, &c., recommended by W. B. C. Carpenter and others.

Alderman McLaughlin moved:

That the petition be referred to Committee on Trade Licenses.

Alderman White moved as an amendment:

That the petition be referred to Committee on Laws and Ordinances.

The amendment was adopted by the following vote, the yeas and nays having been ordered and taken on the call of the President:

Yeas—President Harrison and Aldermen Brown, Helms, Kase, Meyer, Powell, Van Cleef and White.

Nays—Aldermen McLaughlin, Smith, Soule and Wood.

For Restaurant Licenses:

Third District—John Gehm, 43 Coles street. O. F. W. McDonald, 264 and 266 Newark avenue;

Fourth District—James Frazer, 869 Summit avenue; Thomas Costello, 591 Palisade avenue; H. DeWitt, 549 Summit avenue.

Fifth District—George Wagner, 598 Communipaw avenue.

Sixth District—Michael Gill, Bergen Point Plank Road opposite Bramhall avenue.

Referred to Committee on Liquor Licenses.

For transfer of Restaurant Licenses:

No. 766, Patrick McGowan, to Mrs. Annie Hardt; No. 684, Francis Hargaden to John Kelley; No. 638, Matthew Doyle to William Daniell; No. 295, Jacob Stuckey, to 197 10th street, 2d District; No 466, August Mast to Robert Segelken; No. 108, Robert Maxwell to Daniel Newman, 555 Communipaw avenue, 5th District; No. 651, C. B. Carhart to G. W. Douglass: No. 345, John Ruby to John Diash.

Granted on motion of Alderman Powell.

For Trade Licenses,

To vend meat, fish, fruit and vegetables—William Shell, Patrick Mulvey and Jeremiah Kiely.

To vend kindling wood—T. Higgins.

To vend Merchandise:

Henry Rohlffs, Solomon Weitemyer and Jacob Roessner.

Referred to Committee on Trade Licenses.

For transfer of licenses to vend meat, fish, fruit and vegetables:

Of Richard Curlis to James C. White; James Sherry to Andrew Sterling.

Granted on motion of Alderman Powell.

PRESENTATION OF CLAIMS.

Claims were presented, received and disposed of as follows:

Charles Bannesberger, $60.80; D. W. Benjamin, $37.80; Thomas Galvin, $13; A. J. Hall, $55; Edward Hope, Jr., $10; J. F. Kelly, $53.70; P. F. Mahan, $19.25; Otto W. Meyer, $45.75; B. J. F. Roberts, $67.50; Bryan Smith, $36; John Symes, $39, and William Whelan, $39.

Referred to the Committee on Alms.

Of N. B. Shaler, $190.83.

Referred to Committee on Baths and Armories.

Of Patrick Cunningham, $12; Timothy Long, $13.71.

Referred to Committee on Printing, Stationery and Supplies.

Of John Higgins, $48; Michael Kerrigan, $48; Geo. B. Lockwood, $6, and P. H. Nugent, $3.

Referred to Committee on Public Grounds and Buildings.

OFFICER'S COMMUNICATIONS.

A communication from his Honor the Mayor, submitting a communication from the Board of Finance and Taxation, calling attention to Assembly Bill, No. 83, now before the Legislature, entitled "An Act to provide for a public park in Jersey City," and enclosing a copy of said proposed Act was presented and received.

The following preamble and resolution in relation thereto, were offered by Alderman Soule and adopted.

Whereas, an act called Assembly No. 83, entitled "an Act to provide for a public park in Jersey City," has been presented to the Legislature of this State, which Act provides for the acquirement at a cost yet to be determined, of certain Meadow land, which it is proposed in said Act to reclaim and make available by the filling in of the same with street dirt,

Resolved, That in the opinion of this Board, the project or scheme set forth in said bill will utterly fail to render the proposed locality a fit or suitable site for the purposes of a Public Park, and the land so sought to be reclaimed, is at present much below high water mark and objectionable on that account, and from its geographical situation.

Resolved, That the Senator from Hudson County and members of Assembly from Jersey City, be requested to oppose the passage of said Assembly Bill No. 83, and that a certified copy of this resolution be transmitted by the City Clerk to our Representatives at Trenton.

The following report from the City Comptroller was presented, received and ordered filed:

Statement of expenditures to February 29, 1876, on account of appropriations for fiscal year commencing Dec. 1, 1875:

Board of Aldermen.	Appropriations.	Expended.	Unexpended.
Out door poor	$12,000 00	$9,525 04	$2,474 96
Printing, Stationery and Supplies	5,000 00	660 21	4,339 79
Rent of Armories and supplies	4,000 00	618 75	3,381 25
Salaries, City Clerk, Marshal & Overseer of Poor	5,000 00	833 34	4,166 63
Repairs to Public Buildings	250 00	50 00	200 00
Public Grounds improvement and repairs	2,000 00	308 00	1,692 00
Public Bath	1,000 00	———	1,000 00
Fourth of July	3,000 00	———	3,000 00
Decoration Day	200 00	———	200 00
Numbering houses	1,000 00	952 92	47 08

The report of Edward Reilly, pound keeper,

for three months ending February 29, 1876, was presented, received and ordered filed.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

The Committee on Streets reported the following resolution, on petition referred to said Committee on the 15th inst.:

Resolved, That permission is hereby granted to Dr. I. N. Quimby to erect a sign over the sidewalk in front of his premises, 347, Second street, in the manner proscribed by law.

The report was received and the resolution adopted.

AUDITING OF CLAIMS BY RESOLUTION.

The following resolutions were reported by committees in payment of claims, presented at this meeting.

By Committee on Baths and Armories:

Resolved, That the sum of $190.83 be paid to N. B. Shafer, for rent of armory for February, 1876.

By Committee on Printing, Stationery and Supplies:

Resolved, That the sum of $12 be paid to Patrick Cunningham, for services, cleaning and making fires in cellar of City Hall, for February, 1876.

Resolved, That the sum of $13.71 be paid to Timothy Long, for incidental expenses as City Marshal for January and February, 1876.

By Committee on Public Grounds and Buildings:

Resolved, That the sum of $48 be paid to John Higgins for services as keeper of Hamilton Park for February, 1876.

Resolved, That the sum of $48 be paid to Michael Kerrigan for services as keeper of Van Vorst Park for February, 1876.

Resolved, That the sum of $6 be paid to Geo. B. Lockwood for pumping out mains and repairs to gas lamps at City Hall.

The resolutions were adopted.

MISCELLANEOUS BUSINESS.

The following resolution was offered by Alderman Soule and adopted:

Resolved, That warrants be drawn on the city treasurer in favor of the following named for payment of salaries for February, 1876: John E. Scott, City Clerk, $250; Timothy Long, City Marshal, $83.33; John E. Hewitt, Overseer of the Poor, $83.33.

The following resolution was offered by Alderman Brown and adopted:

Resolved, That the Committee on Printing, Stationery and Supplies are hereby authorized to procure a national flag for the City Hall at a cost not to exceed one hundred dollars

On motion of Alderman McLaughlin the Board then adjourned.

JOHN E. SCOTT, City Clerk.

Regular meeting at the Aldermanic Chamber, City Hall, Tuesday, March 7, 1876, at 7½ o'clock P. M.

Present—President Harrison and Aldermen Brown, McLaughlin, Powell, Smith, Soule, Van Cleef and Wood.

Absent—Aldermen Helms, Kase, Meyer and White.

The minutes of the regular meeting of Feb. 29, 1876, were approved as printed in manual form, on motion of Alderman Smith.

PRESENTATION OF PETITIONS, ETC.

Petitions, etc., were presented, received and disposed of as follows:

Invitation of B. J. F. Roberts, P. H. Laverty and P. Govern, committee, to attend lecture by Col. John Warren, at St. John's Hall, on Tuesday evening March 7, 1876, on Ancient Irish History. Accepted.

Petition of James F. Gannon, Coroner, for permission to use the Council Chamber on Wednesday the 8th inst., and thereafter, for the purpose of holding an inquest in case of Franklin Ford. Granted provided it does not interfere with other meetings.

Petition of Catherine Simonson, owner, for permission to allow Simonson & Co., tenants, to erect a sign across sidewalk in front of No. 480 Communipaw avenue. Granted, on motion of Alderman Brown.

Petition of M. E. Daly, for permission to place a sign over sidewalk in front of 621 Grand street. Granted, on motion of Alderman Powell.

Petition of Crow & Hawkins, for permission to place sign over sidewalk in front of premises No. 70 York street. Granted, on motion of Alderman Smith.

Petition of Thomas Ratigan, Jr., for permission to place a sign in front of his blacksmith shop, corner of West Newark avenue and Fraser place. Granted, on motion of Alderman Powell.

For Restaurant Licenses—Christian Trebner, 62 Morris street, First District, and Dennis Sweeny, 637 Henderson street, Second District. Referred to Committee on Liquor Licenses.

For Transfer of Restaurant Licenses—No. 631, Mathew Dixon to Mrs. Margaret O'Neill, corner Eleventh and Brunswick streets, Second District; No. 625, Martin Sweeny, to 314 Grand street, Sixth District; No. 860, Frank Weissman to Theodore Luyster. Granted, on motion of Alderman Smith.

Petition of Peter Lyons, for a license to vend meat, fish, fruit and vegetables. Referred to Committee on Trade Licenses.

Petition of John Murphy for a license to vend merchandise other than meat, &c.

Referred to Committee on Trade Licenses.

PRESENTATION OF CLAIMS.

Claims were presented, received and disposed of as follows:

Daniel Hartigan, $21; Augustus Hill, $30.60; M. Miggins, $55.90; James Paris, $35.14; F. W. Schroeder, $100, and Martin Sweeney, $21.75.

Referred to Committee on Alms.

James Donnelly, $6.75; O'Mara Bros., $11.40; and Bryan Smith, $30.

Referred to Committee on Printing, Stationery and Supplies.

Of John Fitzpatrick, $48.

Referred to Committee on Public Grounds and Buildings.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

The Committee on Baths and Armories presented a report recommending the adoption of the following resolutions.

Resolved, That the Committee on Baths and Armories are hereby authorized to secure the premises hereinafter named for the use of the different companies of the 4th Regiment, N. G. S. N. J., for meeting purposes and drill for one year from May 1, 1876, and at the rates specified as follows: 27 and 29 Newark avenue, northwest room, second floor, and the third and fourth floors, Companies C, E and F, regimental officers and drum corps, $2,000; McPherson's Hall, Newark avenue, opposite Court House, Co. A, one room, third floor, with use of large room on second floor every Tuesday evening, $450; B Co., Pratt's Hall, Palisade avenue, near Warren street, one night in each week, $200; Library Hall, junction Grand street and Ivy place; Co. D, one room on second floor at south-east corner of building and use of main hall one night in each week, $400.

Resolved, That said committee are hereby authorized to secure such premises other than those named in foregoing resolution, if deemed necessary or expedient so to do, provided the sum total to be paid for rent shall not exceed $3,050, and provided further, that the corporation of Jersey City shall not be liable for lighting and heating the premises so leased.

Resolved, That when the several leases necessary are drawn and executed, that the premises therein described be placed under the supervision of the Colonel commanding the 4th Regiment, subject to the approval of the Committee on Baths and Armories.

Resolved, That the rental of all premises for military purposes, and for which rent the city is responsible cease May 1, 1876.

Resolved, That this Board of Aldermen do not deem it the duty of the Corporation of Jersey City to pay any part of the expenses of any military organization other than those belonging to the 4th Regiment, N. G. S. N. J.

The report was received and the resolutions were adopted.

The Committee on Laws and Ordinances to whom was referred February 29, 1876, the petition of H. V. Hecker & Co., for permission to serve customers with flour, &c., presented a report thereon submitting the following entitled ordinance, the report recommending that the ordinance be laid upon the table and printed on slips for the use of the Board, viz:

"An ordinance to license and regulate hawkers, peddlers and hucksters in Jersey City."

The report was received and its recommendation adopted.

The Committee on Liquor Licenses reported the following resolution on applications heretofore referred.

Resolved, That licenses be granted to the following named to keep restaurants at the following named places in Jersey City.

Third District—John Gehm, 43 Coles street. O. T. W. McDonald, 264 and 266 Newark avenue;

Fourth District—James Frazer, 869 Summit avenue; Thomas Costello, 391 Palisade avenue; H. DeWitt, 549 Summit avenue.

Fifth District—George Wagner, 598 Communipaw avenue.

Sixth District—Michael Gill, Bergen Point Plank Road opposite Bramhall avenue.

The report was received. The resolution was adopted by the following vote, the yeas and nays having been ordered and taken:

Yeas—All the members present, eight in number.

The Committee on Trade Licenses reported the following resolutions on applications heretofore referred.

The reports were received and the resolutions disposed of as follows:

Resolved, That licenses to vend meat, fish, fruit and vegetables from a wagon, cart or other vehicle in Jersey City, be issued by the Mayor and city clerk under the corporate seal of the city to the following named on their paying the license fees:

William Sheil, Patrick Mulvey and Jeremiah Kiely.

Resolved, That a license to vend kindling wood from a wagon, cart or other vehicle in Jersey City be issued by the Mayor and city clerk under the corporate seal of the city to T. Higgins on his paying the license fees.

Resolved, That licenses to vend any other merchandise than and excepting meat, fish, fruit, vegetables, kindling wood, cigars and tobacco, from a wagon, cart or other vehicle in Jersey City, be issued by the Mayor and City Clerk, under the corporate seal of the city, to the following named on their paying the license fees: Henry Rohlfs, Solomon Weitemeyer, Jacob Roessner and John Murphy.

The resolutions were adopted.

AUDITING OF CLAIMS BY RESOLUTION.

The following resolutions were reported by Committee on Alms in payment of claims heretofore referred:

Resolved, That the sum of $144.62 be paid to

Douglas, Baum & Co., for coal for out door poor from Jan. 2 to Feb. 15, 1876.

Resolved, That the sum of $37.80 be paid to D. W. Benjamin, for meat for out door poor from Jan. 15 to Feb. 12, 1876.

Resolved, That the sum of $69.75 be paid to Mrs James Caffrey, for groceries for out door poor from Jan. 1 to Feb. 11, 1876.

Resolved, That the sum of $40.75 be paid to Patrick Cronin, for groceries for out door poor from Feb. 4 to 14, 1876.

Resolved, That the sum of $120.25 be paid to James Donnelly, for coal for out door poor from Feb. 1st to 15th, 1876.

Resolved, That the sum of $66 be paid to R G. Dudley, for groceries for out door poor from Feb. 1st to 15th, 1876.

Resolved, That the sum of $105 90 be paid to John Dust, for meat for out door poor from Jan. 10th to Feb. 14th, 1876.

Resolved, That the sum of $32 70 be paid to M. Egan, for meat for out door poor from Feb. 10th to 15th, 1876.

Resolved, That the sum of $64.50 be paid to T. J. Flannelly, for shoes for out door poor from Jan. 24th to Feb. 15th, 1876.

Resolved, That the sum of $56.16 be paid to Gillen & Keilt, for coal for out door poor from Feb 1st to 15th, 1876.

Resolved, That the sum of $97 be paid to John B. Haight, for groceries for out door poor from Feb. 5th to 12th, 1876.

Resolved, That the sum of $77.40 be paid to Garret Haley, for meat for out door poor from Feb: 1st to 15th, 1876.

Resolved, That the sum of $55 be paid to A. J. Hall, for coffins and wagon hire for burial of out door poor from Feb. 3d to 12th, 1876.

Resolved, That the sum of $134.75 be paid to Ferd A. Hall, for groceries for out door poor from Feb. 5th to 14th, 1876.

Resolved, That the sum of $54 61 be paidto I. V. W. Halstead, for bread for out door poor Feb. 4th and 11th, 1876.

Resolved, That the sum of $82.75 be paid to Martin Hare, for groceries for out door poor rom Dec. 3d, 1875, to Feb. 14th, 1876.

Resolved, That the sum of $57.30 be paid to Mrs. S. Hunt, for meat for out door poor from Feb, 1st to 15th, 1876.

Resolved. That the sum of $53.70 be paid to Joseph T. Kelly, for meat for out-door poor, from January 2 to February 12, 1876.

Resolved, That the sum of $33.75 be paid to Patrick Kitrick, for groceries for out-door poor, from February 7 to 15, 1876.

Resolved. That the sum of $22.50 be paid to Thomas Lally, for shoes for out-door poor, from January 24 to February 12, 1876.

Resolved, That the sum of $35 be paid to B. McAnally & Sons, for groceries for out door poor, from February 4 to 15, 1876.

Resolved, That the sum of $45.75 be paid to Otto W. Meyer, for shoes for out-door poor, from December 22, 1875. to February 12, 1876.

Resolved, That the sum of $58.50 be paid to James Reilly for coal for out-door poor from February 9 to 15 1876.

Resolved, That the sum of $137.50 be paid to Andrew Scanlon, for groceries for out-door poor, from February 1 to 15, 1876.

Resolved. That the sum of $143.75 be paid to Anton Schick, for groceries for out-door poor, from February 7, to 14, 1876.

Resolved. That the sum of $29.25 be paid to Anton Schick, for coal for out-door poor, from February 9 to 15, 876.

Resolved, That the sum of $58.57 be paid to Thomas K. Simpson, for bread for out-door poor to February 15, 1876.

Resolved, That the sum of $43.50 be paid to Spatz Brothers for groceries for out-door poor from February 8 to 15, 1876.

Resolved, That the sum of $46.80 be paid to to Alexander Sturtevant for meat for out-door poor from Jan. 31 to Feb. 15, 1876.

Resolved, That the sum of $7.20 be paid to Daniel Sullivan for meat for out-door poor from Feb. 4 to 15, 1876.

Resolved. That the sum of $23.75 be paid to Mrs. P. Sullivan for groceries for out-poor from Jan. 12 to Feb. 12, 1876.

Resolved. That the sum of $75.75 be paid to I. & W. W. Van Cleef for groceries for out-door poor from Jan. 14, to Feb. 15, 1876.

Resolved, That the sum of $94.25 be paid to Henry H. Voss for groceries and meat for out-door poor from Feb. 5 to 11, 1876.

Resolved. That the sum of $39 be paid to Wm. White for coal for out-door poor from Jan. 1st to Feb. 12, 1876.

Resolved, That the sum of $112 50 be paid to John J. Wittpenn for groceries for out-door door from Dec. 31, 1875, to Feb. 12, 1876.

The resolutions were adopted.

The following resolutions were reported by committees in payment of claims presented at this meeting:

By Committee on Alms:

Resolved, That the sum of $39.00 be paid to Augustus Hill for meat for outdoor poor to Feb. 28. 1876.

By Committee on Public Grounds and Buildings:

Resolved, That the sum of $48 be paid to John Fitzpatrick for services as keeper of Washington Square for February, 1876.

The resolutions were adopted.

MISCELLANEOUS BUSINESS.

The following resolution was offered by Alderman Van Cleef and adopted:

Resolved, That permission be granted to Albert J. Jardine to place a sign around post in front of premises 117 Montgomery street.

On motion of Alderman Brown the Board then adjourned.

JOHN E. SCOTT, City Clerk.

Regular meeting at the Aldermanic Chamber, City Hall, Tuesday March 14th, 1876, at 7½ o'clock P. M.

Present—President Harrison and Aldermen Helms, Kase, McLaughlin, Meyer, Powell, Soule, Van Cleef, White and Wood.

Absent—Aldermen Brown and Smith.

The minutes of the regular meeting of the 7th inst, were approved as printed in manual form, on motion of Alderman Powell.

PRESENTAION OF PETITIONS, ETC.

Petitions were presented, received and disposed of as follows:

Invitation from John Hart and Bernard Keilt committee, to review procession of Irish Civic and Temperance Societies, from City Hall on Friday the 17th inst. at noon. Accepted.

Invitation from St. Patrick's Mutual Benevolent Association to attend their Second Annual Ball at Dittmar's Assembly Rooms on Friday evening the 17th inst. Accepted.

Petition of Patrick G. McConville for designation of route for driving cattle from abattoir at foot of Sixth street to his place of business on Grove street, near the city of Hoboken.

Referred to Committee on Laws and Ordinances with power, on motion of Alderman McLaughlin.

Permission of M. C. Smith for permission to move building and occupy street on Washington avenue, between Atlantic and Seaview avenues.

Alderman Meyer moved that the prayer of the petitioner be granted.

Alderman Van Cleef moved as an amendment, that the petition be referred to the Committee on Streets.

The amendment was rejected and the motion by Alderman Meyer was then adopted.

Petition of F. N. Kellers for permission to erect an awning in front of his premises, corner of Greene and Sussex streets.

Referred to Committee on Streets.

Petition of James Smith and James Williamson, tenants, and S. M. Hoffman, owner, for permission to hang a sign from under awning in front of 36 Newark avenue.

Granted, on motion of Alderman Van Cleef.

Petition of H. Albers, for permission to erect an awning in front of his premises on Franklin street, between Sherman and Hancock avenues.

Granted, on motion of Alderman Helms.

Petition of C. Dierckson, for permission to move the building 949 Summit avenue to 214 Griffith street, between Nelson and Milton avenues.

Alderman Powell moved That the prayer of the petition be granted.

Alderman Van Cleef moved, as an amendment, that the petition be referred to the Committee on Streets.

The amendment was rejected, by the following vote, the yeas and nays having been ordered and taken on the call of the President.

Yeas—President Harrison and Aldermen Kase, Soule, Van Cleef and Wood.

Nays—Alderman Helms, McLaughlin, Meyer, Powell and White.

The motion was then adopted by the following vote, the yeas and nays having been ordered and taken on the call of the President

Yeas—Aldermen Helms, McLaughlin, Meyer, Powell, Soule, Van Cleef, White and Wood.

Nays—President Harrison and Alderman Kase.

Petition of John Allen for permission to erect a barber's pole in front of premises corner of Oakland and Newark avenues.

Referred to Committee on Streets.

Petition of Charles Weymann for a license to keep a restaurant at 68 Essex street, First District.

Referred to Committee on Liquor Licenses.

Petition of C. M. Havey for transfer of restaurant license No. 307 to Havey & Hirschberg, corner of Newark and Summit avenues, Fourth District.

Granted on motion of Alderman McLaughlin.

Petition of James Lynop for a license to vend kindling wood.

Referred to Committee on Trade Licenses.

PRESENTATION OF CLAIMS.

Claims were presented, received and disposed of as follows:

Of Francis Volk, $10.

Referred to Committee on Alms.

Of Annin & Co., $110; the Argus, $28; McAvoy Bros. $94; Hugh F. McDermott, $31.50

Referred to Committee on Printing, Stationery and Supplies.

OFFICER'S COMMUNICATIONS.

The report of Michael Donovan, pound keeper, from Nov. 22, 1875, to Feb. 20, 1876, was presented, received, and ordered filed.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

The Committee on Liquor Licenses reported the following resolution on applications heretofore referred.

Resolved, That licenses be granted to the following named to keep restaurants at the following named places in Jersey City.

Christian Trebner, 62 Morris street, 1st District.

Dennis Sweeney, 637 Henderson street, 2d District.

The report was received. The resolution was adopted by the following vote, the yeas and nays having been ordered and taken:

Yeas—All the members present, ten (10) in number.

The Committee on Trade Licenses reported the following resolution on application heretofore referred.

Resolved, That a license to vend meat, fish, fruit and vegetables from a wagon, cart or other vehicle in Jersey City, be issued by the Mayor and city clerk under the corporate seal of the city to Peter Lyons on his paying the license fees

The report was received and the resolution adopted.

AUDITING OF CLAIMS BY RESOLUTION.

The following resolution was reported by the Committee on Public Grounds and Buildings in payment of a claim presented Feb. 29, 1876:

Resolved, That the sum of $3 be paid to P. H. Nugent for repairing register and heater pipe at City Clerk's office, Dec. 24, 1875.

The resolution was adopted.

MISCELLANEOUS BUSINESS.

On motion of Alderman McLaughlin, the Board took a recess for five minutes.

On re-assembling Alderman Van Cleef moved That the Board do now adjourn.

The motion was rejected by the following vote, the yeas and nays having been ordered and taken on the call of the President.

Yeas—Aldermen Helms; Meyer, Soule and Van Cleef.

Nays—President Harrison and Aldermen Kase, McLaughlin, Powell, White and Wood.

The following resolution was offered by Alderman Kase and adopted.

Resolved, That the ordinance presented on the 7th instant, entitled "An ordinance to license and regulate hawkers, pedlers and hucksters in Jersey City," be referred to the Corporation Counsel, for his opinion as to whether the said ordinance is in accord with section 24 of the City Charter, and whether the Board of Aldermen can legally, by ordinance, refuse a license to a non-resident of the City.

The following resolution was offered by Alderman Wood.

Resolved, That the Board of Aldermen do not deem it expedient at the present time and because of the present condition of the finances, that the act now before the Legislature known as Senate bill No. 56, and constituting district courts in certain cities should become a law, and that our representatives at Trenton be requested to oppose the passage of said act.

Alderman McLaughlin moved that the resolution be referred to the Committee on Laws and Ordinances.

The motion was adopted by the following vote, the yeas and nays having been ordered and taken on the call of the President:

Yeas—Aldermen Helms, Kase, McLaughlin, Meyer, Soule and Van Cleef.

Nays—President Harrison and Aldermen Powell, White and Wood.

On motion of Alderman Powell the Board then adjourned.

JOHN E. SCOTT, City Clerk.

Regular meeting at the Aldermanic Chamber, City Hall, Tuesday, March 21, 1876, at 7½ o'clock P. M.

Present—President Harrison and Aldermen Brown, Helms, Kase, McLaughlin, Powell, Smith, Soule, Van Cleef and Wood.

Absent—Aldermen Meyer and White.

The minutes of the regular meeting of the 14th inst. were approved as printed in manual form, on motion of Alderman McLaughlin.

PRESENTATION OF PETITIONS, ETC.

Petitions, etc., were presented, received and disposed of as follows:

Petition of James B. Truscott, for permission to construct vault under sidewalk, and also for use of street for building materials in front of buildings Nos. 119 and 121 Monticello avenue.

On motion of Alderman Van Cleef, the petition was referred to Committee on Streets.

Petition of Charles Speirling, tenant, and Mrs. Behm, owner, for permission to place barber's pole in front of 450 Palisade avenue.

Granted, on motion of Alderman Powell.

Petition of Philip O'Neil by A. Van Horn, his attorney, for designation of a route whereoy he can drive cattle from the Abbatoir foot of Sixth street to the slaughter house corner of Henderson and 19th streets.

Referred to Committee on Laws and Ordinances.

Petition of William Hunter and Michael Lally by their attorney, A. Van Horn, for the designation of routes whe eby they can drive cattle from the Aboatoir foot of Sixth street to the slaughter houses of the petitioners, corner of 19th and Henderson streets, and corner of 20th and Grove streets.

Referred to Committee on Laws and Ordinances.

For Tranfers of Restaurant Licenses:

No. 848, George Schumann to 368 Henderson street, 2d Dist.; No. 725, Henry Schmidt to Thomas Bennard: No. 311, Thomas Hanrahan to Michael Tracey: No. 35, Owen Masterson to Patrick Kiernan, corner of Colgate and Second streets, 2d Dist.

Granted on motion of Alderman McLaughlin:

For Trade Licenses:

To vend meat, fish, fruit and vegetables—Patrick Galvin.

To vend merchandise—Henry Kahlenbeck.

Referred to Committee on Trade Licenses.

For transfer of licenses to vend meat, fish, fruit and vegetables—Frank Nelson to George Fick; Edward Johnson to Joseph Brown.

Granted on motion of Alderman McLaughlin.

PRESENTATION OF CLAIMS.

Claims were presented, received and disposed of as follows:

Of Francis Volk, $10.

Referred to Committee on Alms.

Stephen Gleason, $108.19; Jersey City Gas Light Co., $5.70, and Adolph Walter, $2.

Referred to Committee on Printing, Stationery and Supplies.

OFFICERS' COMMUNICATIONS.

The following communication from the Corporation Counsel was presented, received, and on motion of Alderman Smith ordered to be entered in the minutes:

CORPORATION COUNSEL'S OFFICE,
JERSEY CITY, N. J., March 17, 1876.

To the Honorable, the Board of Aldermen:

Gentlemen—Accompanying I send you a copy of Assembly Bill No 187, entitled, "An act to provide for the further relief of the poor," which act received the Governor's signature and became a law yesterday, March 16. A copy of this act has been sent to the Board of Finance with recommendation of early action thereon, so as to afford prompt relief to the poor. It is respectfully recommended that the appropriate committee of your Board in connection with the overseer of the poor confer with the Board of Finance with a view to carry out the provisions of said act, and afford the necessary relief with the least possible delay.

Respectfully, etc.,
WILLIAM A. LEWIS,
Corporation Counsel.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

The Committee on Laws and Ordinances reported the following resolution, referred to said Committee on the 14th inst.

Resolved, That this Board of Aldermen do not deem it expedient at the present time and because of the present condition of the finances that the act now before the Legislature, known as Senate bill No. 56, and constituting District Courts in certain cities, should become a law, and that our representatives at Trenton be requested to oppose the passage of said act.

The report was received and the resolution adopted.

The Committee on Liquor Licenses reported the following resolution, on application referred to said committee on the 14th inst.

Resolved, That a license be granted to Charles Weymann to keep a restaurant at 68 Essex street, in the First District.

The report was received.

The resolution was adopted by the following vote, the yeas and nays having been ordered and taken.

Yeas—All the members present, ten in number.

The Committee on Trade Licenses reported the following resolution on application heretofore referred:

Resolved, That a license to vend kindling wood from a wagon, cart or other vehicle, in Jersey City, be not issued to James Lynop.

The report was received, and the resolution adopted.

AUDITING OF CLAIMS BY RESOLUTION.

The following resolutions were reported by the Committee on Printing, Stationery and Supplies in payment of claims heretofore referred:

Resolved, That the sum of $100 be paid to Annin & Co., for one 50-foot bunting American flag, for City Hall.

Resolved, That the sum of $28 be paid to the Argus, for advertising and job printing during February, 1876.

Resolved, That the sum of $6.75 be paid to James Donnelly for one ton of coal for office of Overseer of the Poor.

Resolved, That the sum of $94 be paid to McAvoy Bros., for stationery supplied to the City Marshal for use in Council Chamber, from Jan. 1 to March 13, 1876.

Resolved, That the sum of $31.50 be paid to Hugh F. McDermott, for advertising ordinances in January, 1876, in the Jersey City Herald.

Resolved, That the sum of $11.40 be paid to O'Mara Bros., for pails, sprinkling pots, and cleaning furnace pipes at City Hall.

Resolved, That the sum of $50 be paid to Bryan Smith, for keep of horse of Overseer of the Poor for February, 1876.

The resolutions were adopted.

MISCELLANEOUS BUSINESS.

The following entitled ordinance was presented by Alderman Soule and the same was received, laid upon the table, and ordered to be printed on slips for the use of the Board, viz.:

"An ordinance to regulate and control the driving of cattle through the streets of Jersey City."

Resolutions were presented, received, and disposed of as follows:

By Alderman McLaughlin and adopted:

Resolved, That the action had January 11, 1876, in transferring restaurant license No. 35, of Owen Masterson to Mrs. O'Neill, corner of Brunswick and 11th streets, 2d district, be rescinded.

By Alderman Brown and adopted:

Resolved, That the City Marshal be directed not to loan to any one the new flag recently purchased for the City Hall.

By Alderman Smith and adopted:

Resolved, That the Committee on Alms in connection with the Overseer of the Poor, be requested to confer with the Board of Finance with a view to carry out the provisions of the act entitled "An act to provide for the further relief of the Poor," approved March 16, 1876, and afford the necessary relief with the least possible delay.

On motion of Alderman Van Cleef the Board then adjourned.

JOHN E. SCOTT, City Clerk.

Regular meeting at the Aldermanic Chamber, City Hall, Tuesday, March 28, 1876, at 7½ o'clock P. M.

Present—President Harrison and Aldermen Brown, Helms, Kase, McLaughlin, Smith, Soule, Van Cleef, White and Wood.

Alderman Powell was absent at the calling of the roll, but subsequently appeared and took his seat.

Absent—Alderman Meyer.

The minutes of the regular meeting of the 21st inst. were approved as printed in manual form, on motion of Alderman Smith.

PRESENTATION OF PETITIONS, ETC.

Petitions, etc., were presented, received and disposed of as follows:

Communication from F. G. Wolbert, President, and J. B. Coles, Secretary of the citizens' meeting requesting appointment of committee of five to co-operate with citizens to meet at Aldermanic Chamber, City Hall, Saturday evening, April 15, 1876, to make arrangements for celebration of Centennial Anniversary.

On motion of Alderman White, it was

Resolved, That the Committee be appointed.

Petition of Patrick Duff for permission to place a sign across the sidewalk in front of 196 Fifth street.

Granted on motion of Alderman McLaughlin.

Petition of A. B. Cosgrove for permission to erect a sign opposite 703 Newark avenue.

Granted on motion of Alderman Smith.

Petition of Charles Turner for permission to place a sign over sidewalk in front of 214 Newark avenue.

Granted on motion of Alderman McLaughlin.

Petition of Wm. Coeman for permission to erect a sign over sidewalk in front of premises on Palisade avenue, between South and Congress streets.

Granted on motion of Alderman Helms.

Petition of N. G. Vreeland to erect sign and post in front of 80 Monticello avenue.

Granted on motion of Alderman Kase.

Petition of Charles Schuetz for permission to place a sign over sidewalk in front of his premises, 179 Wayne street.

Granted on motion of Alderman Helms.

Petition of Charles Buttner, for permission to erect an awning in front of 56 Central avenue.

Granted on motion of Alderman Helms.

Petition of Frederick J. Becker and Mary Frauheim, for permission to remove flag pole from 425 Palisade avenue to the corner of Palisade avenue and Franklin street.

Granted on motion of Alderman Helms.

(Alderman Powell appeared and took his seat).

For transfer of restaurant licenses:

No. 846—Michael Hickey to C. P. Becker.

No. 810—Nicholas Frauheim to F. J. Becker.

No. 753—F. Becker to Michael Wollenschlaeger.

No. 843—Jacob Klein to Van Wagenenst, near St. Paul's avenue, 4th district.

No. 703—F. L. Fariant to Bernard Meissner, 514 Newark avenue, 5th district.

No. 781—Annie Scanlon to Richard Cosgrove.

Granted on motion of Alderman McLaughlin.

Petition of James L. Ely, for a license to vend merchandise other than fish, &c.

Referred to Committee on Trade Licenses.

Petition of John Ehrhardt, for transfer to him of license No. 12 of John Ahrens to vend meat, fish, fruit, and vegetables.

Referred to Committeee on Trade Licenses.

PRESENTATION OF CLAIMS.

Claims were presented, received and disposed of as follows:

Of John B. Haight, $386.75; B. McAnally & Sons $386, and J. W. Johnson, $50.70.

Referred to Commitee on Alms.

Of N. B. Shafer, $190.83.

Referred to Committee on Baths and Armories.

Of The Argus, $29.50; and Pangborn Dunning & Dear, $55.50.

Referred to Committee on Printing, Stationery and Supplies.

Of Henry Simpson, $53.

Referred to Committee on Streets.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

The Committee on Streets presented favorable reports and the following resolutions on applications heretofore referred:

Resolved, That permission is hereby given to James G. Truscott to construct a vault under sidewalk in front of his premises Nos. 119 and 121 Monticello avenue, the work to be done under the direction of the Street Commissioner and to be completed before May 1, 1876.

Resolved, That the subject matter of the petition presented on the 21st inst. for permission to occupy a portion of the street with building material be referred to the Street Commissioner with the request that he grant the permission asked for.

Resolved, That permission be granted to F. N. Kellers to erect an awning in front of premises owned by him northeast corner of Greene and Sussex streets, provided the ordinance relative thereto is complied with.

Resolved, That during the pleasure of the Board of Aldermen, permission is hereby granted to John Allen to erect a barber's pole in front of premises owned by him, corner of Newark and Oakland avenues.

Resolved, That permission is hereby granted Albert J. Jardine to place a sign around the post in front of 117 Montgomery street, the sign to be triangular in shape and not to exceed more than 20 inches in width on each angle, and to remain during the pleasure of the Board of Aldermen.

The reports were received, and the resolutions severally adopted.

The Committee on Streets presented an adverse report, and the following preamble and resolution on petition referred to said committee Feb. 29, 1876:

Whereas, The granting of the petition of N. G. Vreeland for permission to remove a one-story frame building through Grand street to Communipaw ave., and through Communipaw avenue to Monticello avenue, would greatly hinder and obstruct public travel; therefore, be it

Resolved, That the prayer of the petitioner be not granted.

The report was received and the preamble and resolution were adopted.

The Committee on Trade Licenses reported the following resolutions on applications heretofore referred:

Resolved, That a license to vend meat, fish, fruit and vegetables, from a wagon, cart or other vehicle, in Jersey City, be issued by the Mayor and City Clerk, under the corporate seal of the city, to Patrick Galvin on his paying the license fees.

Resolved, That a license to vend any other merchandise (than and excepting meat, fish, fruit, vegetables, kindling wood, cigars and tobacco) from a wagon, cart or other vehicle, in Jersey City, be issued by the Mayor and City Clerk, under the corporate seal of the city, to Henry Kahlenbeck on his paying the license fees.

The reports were received and the resolutions adopted.

AUDITING OF CLAIMS BY RESOLUTION.

The following resolutions were reported by committees in payment of claims heretofore referred:

By Committee on Alms:

Resolved, That the sum of $60.80 be paid to Charles Bammesberger for meat for outdoor poor from January 29 to February 12, 1876.

Resolved, That the sum of $29.40 be paid to Daniel Brennan for meat for outdoor poor from January 29 to February 15, 1876.

Resolved, That the sum of $77.95 be paid to George Broughton for groceries and meat for outdoor poor from January 28 to February 15, 1876.

Resolved, That the sum of $51 be paid to James T. Burke for groceries for outdoor poor from February 1 to 14, 1876.

Resolved, That the sum of $40.25 be paid to H. Fardelmann for groceries for outdoor poor from Feb. 7 to 15, 1876.

Resolved, That the sum of $13 be paid to Thomas Galvin for groceries for outdoor poor from Dec. 2, 1875, to Feb. 12, 1876.

Resolved, That the sum of $65.55 be paid to

Gilbert Gannon for groceries for outdoor poor from Jan. 1 to Feb. 15, 1876.

Resolved, That the sum of $21 be paid to Daniel Hartigan for meat for outdoor poor from Jan. 2 to Feb. 12, 1876.

Resolved, That the sum of $24.55 be paid to Patrick Hogan, for groceries for outdoor poor from Feb 1 to 15, 1876.

Resolved, That the sum of $60.33 be paid to Jacob Hohmann for bread for outdoor poor from Feb. 4 to 12, 1876.

Resolved, That the sum of $10 be paid to Edward Hope, Jr., for coffin and wagon hire for burial of outdoor poor.

Resolved, That the sum of $10 be paid to William Hughes for coffin and wagon hire for burial of outdoor poor.

Resolved, That the sum of $63.60 be paid to James Hunt for meat for outdoor poor.

Resolved, That the sum of $19.25 be paid to Peter F. Mahan for groceries for outdoor poor from Jan. 7 to Feb. 3, 1876.

Resolved, That the sum of $48 be paid to Patrick Malone for groceries for outdoor poor from Feb. 1 to 15 1876.

Resolved, That the sum of $55.90 be paid to M. Miggins for groceries for outdoor poor from Feb. 4 to 12, 1876.

Resolved, That the sum of $157.74 be paid to L. Munkle for bread for out-door poor, February 11, 1876.

Resolved, That the sum of $26 be paid to Edward Murphy for groceries for out-door poor, from January 13 to February 15, 1876.

Resolved, That the sum of $150 be paid to J. T. McFerran & Co. for groceries for out-door poor from January 29 to February 12, 1876.

Resolved, That the sum of $20 be paid to Frank Naughton for coffins and wagon hire for burial of out-door poor, December 17, 1875, and January 29, 1876.

Resolved, That the sum of $91 be paid to Charles L. Northrup for coal for out-door poor, from January 1st to February 12, 1876.

Resolved, That the sum of $174.50 be paid to Michael O'Grady for groceries for out-door poor from December 1, 1875, to February 14 1876.

Resolved, That the sum of $35.14 be paid to James Paris for bread for out-door poor from February 4 to 12, 1876.

Resolved, That the sum of $67.50 be paid to B. J. F. Roberts for shoes for out-door poor from December 26, 1875, to February 15, 1876.

Resolved, That the sum of $53 60 be paid to Frederick Schober for meat for out-door poor from January 22 to February 12, 1876.

Resolved, That the sum of $100 be paid to F. W. Schroeder for groceries for out-door poor from January 12 to February 14, 1876.

Resolved, That the sum of $113.75 be paid to Henry Steinbruck for coal for out door poor from Dec 1, 1875, to February 15, 1876.

Resolved, That the sum of $15 be paid to Henry Stiff for coffin, wagon hire, &c., in burial of C Moulton, Feb. 9, 1876.

Resolved, That the sum of $21.75 be paid to Martin Sweeney for groceries for out-door poor from Jan. 7 to Feb. 12, 1876.

Resolved, That the sum of $39 be paid to John Symes for meat for out-door poor, from Jan. 14 to Feb. 18, 1876.

Resolved, That the sum of $10 be paid to Francis Volk for coffin and wagon hire, for burial of Wm. Schrader, Feb. 1, 1876.

Resolved, That the sum of $91 50 be paid to Henry Windecker for meat for out-door poor, from Dec. 3, 1875, to Feb. 15, 1876.

By Committee on Printing, Stationery and Supplies.

Resolved, That the sum of $108.19 be paid to Stephen Gleason for repairing wagons of Overseer of the Poor, Feb. 21 and March 1, 1876.

Resolved, That the sum of $5.70 be paid to Jersey City Gas Light Co., for gas consumed in 14 Bright street, from Jan. 1 1875 to Jan. 1, 1876.

Resolved, That the sum of $2 be paid to Adolph Walter, for cleaning and repairing regulator in City Clerk's office.

The resolutions were adopted.

The following resolutions were reported by Committees in payment of claims presented at this meeting.

By Committee on Alms:

Resolved, That the sum of $50.70 be paid to J. W. Johnson for meat for out-door poor from January 18 to Feb. 12, 1876.

Resolved, That the sum of $336 be paid to B. McAnally & Sons for groceries for out-door poor from March 3 to 24, 1876.

Resolved, That the sum of $386.75 be paid to John B. Haight for groceries for out-door poor from February 26 to March 27, 1876.

By Committee on Baths and Armories:

Resolved, That the sum of $190.83 be paid to N. B. Shafer for rent of armory for March, 1876

The resolutions were adopted.

MISCELLANEOUS BUSINESS.

On motion of Alderman McLaughlin the Board took a recess for five minutes.

On re-assembling Alderman Soule moved—

"That the ordinance presented on the 21st inst. to regulate and control the driving of cattle, be taken from the table for consideration."

Alderman Brown moved—

"That the consideration of the motion be postponed for one week."

Alderman Powell moved as an amendment—

"That the consideration of the motion be postponed for one month."

The amendment was rejected by the following vote, the yeas and nays having been ordered and taken on the call of the President:

Yeas—Aldermen McLaughlin, Powell and Van Cleef.

Nays — President Harrison and Aldermen Brown, Helms, Kase, Smith, Soule, White and Wood.

The motion by Alderman Brown was then adopted by the following vote, the yeas and nays having been ordered and taken on the call of the President:

Yeas—All the members present, eleven in number.

The following resolution was offered by Alderman Soule and adopted:

Resolved, That warrants be drawn on the City Treasurer in favor of the following named, for payment of salaries for March, 1876, when due, viz.:

John E. Scott, City Clerk, $250; Timothy Long, City Marshal, $83 33; John E. Hewitt, Overseer of the Poor, $83.33.

The following resolution was offered by Alderman Van Cleef and adopted:

Resolved, That the sum of $15 be appropriated in addition to amount heretofore named, for the purpose of placing signs bearing street names.

On motion of Alderman Powell, the Board then adjourned.

JOHN E. SCOTT, City Clerk.

Regular meeting at the Aldermanic Chamber, City Hall, Tuesday, April 4, 1876, at 7½ o'clock P. M.

Present—President Harrison and Aldermen Brown, Kase, McLaughlin, Meyer, Powell, Smith Soule, Van Cleef, White and Wood.

Absent—Alderman Helms.

The minutes of the regular meeting of March 28, 1876, were approved as printed in manual form, on motion of Alderman McLaughlin.

PRESENTATION OF PETITIONS, ETC.

Petitions, etc., were presented, received and disposed of as follows:

Petition of John S. Stephen for removal of fences from off line of Jewett avenue, widened in 1872.

Referred to Committee on Streets.

Petition of James Frazee for permission to erect an awning in front of his premises on Summit, near Manhattan avenue.

Granted on motion of Alderman Powell.

Petition of Robert McGimpsey for permission to erect an awning in front of 112 Sherman avenue.

Granted on motion of Alderman Wood.

Petition of H. J. Hopper for change of grade and construction of drain in park adjoining his property No. 100 Grand street, to prevent damage to foundation, &c.

Referred to Committee on Public Grounds and Buildings with power, on motion of Alderman White.

Petition of W. H. Betts for a license to keep an inn and tavern at 9 and 11 Montgomery street, in the First District.

Referred to Committee on Liquor Licenses.

Petition of Patrick Costello for a license to keep a restaurant at 87 Oakland avenue, in the 5th district.

Referred to Committee on Liquor Licenses.

For transfer of Restaurant Licenses:

Of T. D. Cowan, No. 170, to Geo. B. Brandon.

John Commerdinger, No. 635, to Anton Jacobs.

John Gehm, No. 862, to 39 Coles street, Third district.

And W. Schommer, No. 479, to B. Wittcke.

Granted on motion of Alderman McLaughlin.

For trade licenses:

Of Carles Iten and Patrick White to vend meat, etc., and Henry Aufderheide to vend merchandise.

Referred to Committee on Trade Licenses.

For transfer of licenses to vend meat, etc.:

Thomas Shortel, No. 37, to Thomas J. Heffernan, and R. G. Dudley, No. 88, to Samuel N. Ryer.

Referred to Committee on Trade Licenses:

PRESENTATION OF CLAIMS.

Claims were presented, received and disposed of as follows;

Of Patrick Baxter, $118.25; Hugh Coyle, $140; Patrick Cronan, $420.50 and $335.50; R. Elliott & Co., $10; George Hierspiel, $36 25; Sarah Hunt, $123 70; Patrick Kittrick, $178; Harrison Miller, $22.75; L Munkle, $79.25; Henry V. Piaget, $10; R. R. Rankin. $185; Andrew Scanlon, $43.25; Anton Schick, $476 35; Bryan Smith, $30; Spatz Bros., $91.25, and I. and W. W. Van Cleef, $98.25.

Referred to Committee on Alms.

Of Philip Becker $21, and Patrick Cunningham $12.

Referred to Committee on Printing, Stationery and Supplies.

Of John Fitzpatrick $48, John Higgins $48, and Michael Kerrigan $48.

Referred to Committee on Public Grounds and Buildings.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

The Committee on Trade Licenses reported the following resolutions on applications heretofore referred:

Resolved, That a license to vend any other merchandise (than and excepting meat, fish, fruit and vegetables, kindling wood, cigars and tobacco) from a wagon, cart or other vehicle in Jersey City, be issued by the Mayor and City Clerk, under the corporate seal of the city to James L. Ely, on his paying the license fees.

Resolved, That license No. 12, of John Ehrhardt to vend, meat, fish, fruit and vegetables be transferred to John Ahrens.

The reports were received, and the resolutions were severally adopted.

AUDITING OF CLAIMS BY RESOLUTION.

The following resolution was reported by the Committee on Streets in payment of claim presented March 28, 1876.

Resolved, That the sum of $53 be paid to Henry Simpson for cutting, placing, &c., of street signs in lamps from Feb. 14 to 19, inclusive, 1876.

The resolution was adopted.

The following resolutions were reported by Committees in payment of claims presented at this meeting.

By Committee on Alms:

Resolved, That the sum of $118.25 be paid to Patrick Baxter for groceries for out-door poor from Feb. 10 to March 21, 1876.

Resolved, That the sum of $140 be paid to Hugh Coyle for burial of out-door poor from Dec. 10, 1875, to March 31, 1876.

Resolved, That the sum of $420.50 be paid to Patrick Cronin, for groceries for out door poor from March 10 to 31, 1876.

Resolved, That the sum of $335.50 be paid to Patrick Cronin, for groceries for out door poor from Feb. 19 to March 10, 1876.

Resolved, That the sum of $10 be paid to R. Elliott & Co., for coffin, wagon hire and burial of Adeline LeGrand.

Resolved, That the sum of $35.25 be paid to George Hierspiel, for shoes for out door poor from Feb 10 to April 4, 1876.

Resolved, That the sum of $123.70 be paid to Sarah Hunt, for meat for out door poor from March 10 to April 3, 1876.

Resolved, That the sum of $178 be paid to Patick Kittrick, for groceries for out door poor from Feb. 26 to March 21, 1876

Resolved, That the sum of $22.75 be paid to Harrison Miller, for coal for out door poor from Feb. 3 to 10, 1876.

Resolved, That the sum of $79.25 be paid to L. Munkel, for bread delivered to overseer of poor for out door poor, March 31, 1876.

Resolved, That the sum of $10 be paid to Henry V. Piaget, for coffin and wagon hire for burial of Mary Ann Lyons.

Resolved, That the sum of $185 be paid to R. R. Rankin for conducting examination and ordering relief, as a Justice of the Peace, in 370 cases.

Resolved, That the sum of $43 25 be paid to Andrew Scanlon for groceries for out-door poor from March 1 to 31, 1876.

Resolved, That the sum of $476.35 be paid to Anton Schick for groceries and meat for out-door poor from February 26 to March 31, 1876.

Resolved, That the sum of $30 be paid to Bryan Smith for keep of horse of Overseer of Poor for March, 1876.

Resolved, That the sum of $91.25 be paid to Spatz Brotners for groceries for out-door poor from February 15 to April 4, 1876.

Resolved, That the sum of $98 25 be paid to I. & W. W. Van Cleef for groceries for out-door poor from March 10 to 31, 1876.

By Committee on Printing, Stationery and Supplies:

Resolved, That the sum of $12 be paid to Patrick Cunningham for services as laborer in cellar of City Hall, making fires, etc., for March, 1876.

By Committee on Public Grounds and Buildings:

Resolved, That the sum of $48 be paid to John Fitzpatrick for services as keeper of Washington Square for March, 1876.

Resolved, That the sum of $48 be paid to John Higgins for services as keeper of Hamilton Square for March, 1876.

Resolved, That the sum of $48 be paid to Michael Kerrigan for services as keeper of Van Vorst Square for March, 1876.

The resolutions were adopted.

MISCELLANEOUS BUSINESS.

Alderman Soule moved, That the ordinance presented March 21, 1876, entitled: "An ordinance to regulate and control the driving of cattle through the streets of Jersey City," be taken from the table for consideration.

Alderman McLaughlin moved, That the motion be laid upon the table.

The motion to table was rejected by the following vote, the yeas and nays having been taken on the call of the President.

Yeas—Aldermen McLaughlin, Powell, Smith, VanCleef and Wood.

Nays—President Harrison and Aldermen Brown, Kase, Meyer, Soule and White.

The motion by Alderman Soule was adopted by the following vote, the yeas and nays having been ordered and taken on the call of the President.

Yeas—President Harrison and Aldermen Brown, Kase, Meyer, Soule, White and Wood.

Nays—Aldermen McLaughlin, Powell, Smith, and VanCleef.

The ordinance was read and considered.

Alderman Van Cleef moved, "That the consideration of the ordinance be postponed for two weeks."

The motion was rejected by the following vote, the yeas and nays having been ordered and taken on the call of the President:

Yeas—Aldermen McLaughlin, Powell and Van Cleef.

Nays — President Harrison and Aldermen Brown, Kase, Meyer, Smith, Soule, White and Wood.

Alderman Kase moved as an amendment, "That the second section be amended by striking out the word 'twenty' and inserting in its stead the word 'fifty' as the amount in dollars of penalty for violation."

Alderman Van Cleef moved as an amendment, "That authority to grant permits for driving of cattle be conferred upon the Chief of Police or Committee on Laws and Ordinances."

The motion was rejected by the following vote, the yeas and nays having been ordered and taken on the call of the President:

Yeas—Aldermen McLaughlin, Powell and Van Cleef.

Nays — President Harrison and Aldermen Brown, Kase, Meyer, Smith, Soule, White and Wood.

The motion by Alderman Kase to fix the penalty at fifty dollars was then adopted by the following vote; the ayes and nays having been ordered and taken on the call of the President:

Yeas — President Harrison and Alderman Kase, Meyer, Smith, Soule and Wood.

Nays—Aldermen Brown, McLaughlin, Powell, Van Cleef and White.

Alderman Van Cleef moved that the consideration of the ordinance be postponed for two weeks.

The motion was rejected by the following vote, the yeas and nays having been ordered and taken on the call of the President:

Yeas — President Harrison and Aldermen Brown, McLaughlin, Powell and Van Cleef.

Nays—Aldermen Kase, Meyer, Smith, Soule, White and Wood.

The ordinance as amended was then passed by the following vote, the yeas and nays having been ordered and taken:

Yeas — President Harrison and Aldermen Brown, Kase, McLaughlin, Meyer, Smith, Soule, Van Cleef, White and Wood.

Nay—Alderman Powell.

(Alderman Meyer obtained leave and retired).

On motion of Alderman Wood the Board proceeded, by ballot, to the appointment of three persons to be members of the Board of Finance and Taxation, who shall hold their office for the term of two years, and whose term of office shall commence on the 2d Monday of April next.

Martin M. Drohan, Henry Pattberg and Jeremiah Sweeney were nominated by Alderman Wood.

Isaac I. Vanderbeek, James Stevens and Andrew Clerk were nominated by Alderman Kase.

On motion of Alderman Kase it was

Resolved, That the appointments be made collectively.

Ballotings were had as follows:

Aldermen Wood and Kase acted as tellers.

The first balloting was declared null and void, there being more votes cast than members present.

Second balloting.

Martin M. Drohan received eight (8) votes.

Henry Pattberg received eight (8) votes.

Jeremiah Sweeney received eight (8) votes.

Isaac I. Vanderbeek received two (2) votes.

James Stevens received two (2) votes.

Andrew Clerk received two (2) votes.

Whereupon Martin M. Drohan, Henry Pattberg, and Jeremiah Sweeney, having each received the requisite number of votes, were declared appointed members of the Board of Finance and Taxation for the term of two years, whose terms of office shall commence on the second Monday of April, 1876.

The following resolution was offered by Alderman Powell and adopted:

Resolved, That the sum of ten dollars ($10) be paid to James Lynop to refund fee deposited by him March 9, 1876, for a license to vend kindling wood, refused March 21, 1876.

The following resolution was offered by Alderman Van Cleef and adopted:

Resolved, That permission is hereby given to John Gehm to erect a pole for a sign in front of premises No. 39 Coles street, instead of No. 43 Coles street, named in resolution adopted February 15, 1876.

The following resolution was offered by Alderman White and adopted.

Resolved, That this Board of Aldermen, as representatives of a majority of the electors of Jersey City, and on their behalf, respectfully tender to the Honorable Leon Abbett, Senator from Hudson county, thanks for his manly, independent and honorable endeavors to prevent the passage of the proposed act whereby the whole feature of elections are changed from time honored rules and the right to elect our own rulers is abridged and deferred for an indefinite period in defiance of the will of the people as expressed by their recent adoption of the amendments to our State Constitution.

Subsequently, on motion of Alderman Van Cleef, it was

Resolved, That a certified copy of the foregoing resolution be transmitted by the City Clerk to the Hon. Leon Abbett.

The following resolution was offered by Alderman Wood and adopted:

Resolved, That a special committee of three be appointed with power to select a new site for the public pound now situate on Jefferson avenue, near Palisade avenue, in the 4th Aldermanic District, at a yearly rental not exceeding one hundred dollars, and that said committee upon procuring such site to forthwith notify Edward Reilly, the keeper of said pound, to immediately remove the same to said new site and report to this Board its doings and of said Reilly's obedience of the order of said committee.

Aldermen Wood, White and Powell were appointed the committee.

On motion of Alderman White, the Board took a recess for five minutes.

During the recess Alderman McLaughlin retired.

On reassembling the following resolution was offered by Alderman White and adopted:

Resolved, That the North Hudson County Railway Company be requested to remove all turnouts (old style) from Grove street, north of Newark avenue, and to lay as speedily as possible the new turn outs, a plan of which was submitted to this Board Nov. 9, 1875.

On motion of Alderman Van Cleef the Board then adjourned.

JOHN E. SCOTT, City Clerk.

Regular meeting at the Aldermanic Chamber, City Hall, Tuesday, April 11, 1876, at 7½ o'clock P. M.

Present—President Harrison and Alderman Soule

Absent—Aldermen Brown, Helms, Kase, McLaughlin, Meyer, Powell, Smith, Van Cleef, White and Wood.

No quorum being present, the President declared the Board adjourned.

JOHN E. SCOTT, City Clerk.

Regular meeting at the Aldermanic Chamber, City Hall, Tuesday, April 18th, 1876, at 7½ o'clock P. M.

Present—President Harrison and Aldermen Brown, Helms, Kase, McLaughlin, Meyer, Powell, Smith, Soule, Van Cleef and White.

Absent—Alderman Wood.

The minutes of the regular meetings of the 4th and 11th insts were approved as printed in manual form on motion of Alderman Smith.

PRESENTATION OF PETITIONS, ETC.

Petitions, etc., were presented, received and disposed of as follows:

Petition of G. G., S. B. and C. P. Vreeland and John H. Meyer for passage of a resolution in opposition to Assembly bill No. 167

The following preamble and resolution in relation thereto were offered by Alderman Van Cleef and adopted.

Whereas, An act known as Assembly bill No. 167, called "A supplement to an act entitled an act concerning corporations approved April seventh, eighteen hundred and seventy-five, which proposes to authorize the formation of a corporation to condemn land, against the interests of Riparian shore owners in Jersey City to their damage and detriment; therefore

Resolved, That the Senator from Hudson County and members of Assembly from Jersey City be requested to oppose the passage of said Assembly bill No. 167, and that certified copies of this resolution be transmitted to said officials by the city clerk.

Petition of Margaret Corder for permission to place a sign over sidewalk in front of her premises on Palisade avenue, between Hutton and Griffith streets.

Granted, on motion of Alderman Powell.

Petition of the Jersey City and Bergen Railroad Company for permission to lay a turnout at the intersection of Montgomery and Barrow streets.

Referred to Committee on Laws and Ordinances.

Petition of Elizur Ward per Wm. Brinkerhoff, attorney, for permission to construct an awning in front of premises owned by him at the northwest corner of Monticello and Belmont avenues.

Granted on motion of Alderman Kase.

Petition of Thomas Ward for permission to erect a sign across the sidewalk in front of 514 Newark avenue, for use and benefit of Bernard Meissner, tenant.

Granted on motion of Alderman Powell.

Petition of John Lamb, owner, for permission to place a sign over the sidewalk in front of 29 Montgomery street, for benefit of W. H. Hawkins, tenant.

Granted on motion of Alderman Smith.

Petition of Edward Sheeran and Peter W. Stagg, owners, for permission to erect awning in front of 75 Railroad avenue.

Granted on motion of Alderman Smith.

Petition of William Zimmerman for permission to erect a sign at the northwest corner of New Bergen Road and Linden avenue.

Granted on motion of Alderman Kase.

Petitions of Michael Gill and Berthold Wittcke to have refunded fines imposed on them for selling liquor without a license.

Referred to Committee on Laws and Ordinances.

For transfer of restaurant licenses:

No. 560, from William Culligan to James McKeon, 225 Tenth street, second district.

No. 456, Frank Blatz to 156 Beacon avenue, fourth district.

No. 757, Charles H. Wilson to Old Bergen Road opp. Greenville avenue, sixth district.

No. 840, from Frederick Nott to Ernst Herzog.

No. 221, from Edwin Malcolm to B. McAnally & Sons.

Granted on motion of Alderman McLaughlin.

Petitions of Patrick J. Duane and John Zimmer for licenses to vend meat, etc.

Referred to Committee on Trade Licenses.

Petition of Conrad Yoerg, for transfer of license No. 169, to vend meat, etc., to Charles Harris.

Granted on motion of Alderman Smith.

PRESENTATION OF CLAIMS.

Claims were presented, received and disposed of as follows:

Of Daniel Brennan, $32.40; S. M. Chambers, $78; James Donley, $16.25; Duff & Meehan, $75 Freeman Bros., $165.56; Garret Haley, $92.10; A. J. Hall, $60; Ferd A. Hall, $181.25; I. V W Halstead, $52.19; Mrs. S. Hunt, $38.60; James Hunt, $34.20; J. W. Johnson, $61.80; B. McAnally & Son, $71; J. T. McKerran & Co., $138.5 ½; L. Munkle, $156.97; Richard R. Ranken, $4.79; Anton Schick, $.80.50 and $19.50; Thomas K. Simpson, $108.81, and Henry H. Voss, $231.40.

Referred to Committee on Alms.

Of Jersey City Gas Light Company, $154.28.

Referred to Committee on Baths and Armories.

Of Peter Dalton, Jr., $4.35; Jersey City Gas Light Co., $302.78; McAvoy Bros., $101 25 and $54.55; Patrick Nicholas, $63.75.

Referred to Committee on Printing, Stationery and Supplies.

Of George B. Lockwood, $19.93 and $16.78; Thomas Trotter, $20.

Referred to Committee on Public Grounds and Buildings.

OFFICERS' COMMUNICATIONS.

The following report from the City Comptroller was presented, received and ordered filed:

Statement of expenditures to April 18, 1876, on account of appropriations for fiscal year commencing December 1, 1875:

Board of Aldermen.	Appropriations.	Expended.	Unexpended.
Out-door poor.. ...	$12,000	$11,972 30	$27 70
Special appropriation for poor.....	6,000	5,135 70	864 30
Printing, stationery and supplies	5,000	1,063 57	3,936 43
Rent of armories and supplies.... .	4,000	1,000 41	2,999 59
Salaries, City Clerk, marshal and overseer of poor.....	5,000	1,666 66	3,333 34
Repairs to public buildings..... ...	250	50 00	200 00
Public grounds, improvements and repairs	2,000	596 00	1,404 00
Public bath.	1,000	——	1,000 00
Fourth of July.....	3,000	——	3,000 00
Decoration Day....	200	——	200 00
Numbering houses.	1,000	952 92	47 08

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

The Committee on Public Grounds and Buildings, to whom was referred on the 4th inst., with power, the petition of H. J. Hopper for construction of drain in park adjoining his property 100 Grand street, &c., reported the following resolution in relation thereto:

Resolved, That the Committee on Public Grounds and Buildings be authorized to have constructed a cess pool and drain to connect with the sewer in Grand street in front of Washington Park, adjoining H. J. Hopper's property, and the same to be protected with an iron grating, the same as in use in the remaining three squares of said Washington Park, at a cost not to exceed three hundred dollars.

The report was received and the resolution adopted.

The Committee on Trade Licenses reported the following resolutions on applications referred to said committee on the 4th inst.:

Resolved, That licenses to vend meat, fish, fruit and vegetables, from a wagon, cart or other vehicle in Jersey City, be issued by the Mayor and City Clerk, under the corporate seal of the city, to Charles Iten and Patrick White, on their paying the license fees.

Resolved, That a license to vend any other merchandise than and excepting meat, fish, fruit, vegetables, kindling wood, cigars and tobacco from a wagon, cart or other vehicle in Jersey City, be issued by the Mayor and City Clerk, under the corporate seal of the city, to Henry Aufderheide on his paying the license fees.

Resolved, That the following described licenses to vend meat, fish, fruit and vegetables be transferred:

No. 37, Thomas Shertel to Thomas J. Heffernan; No. 88, R. G. Dudley to Samuel M. Ryer.

The reports were received and the resolutions severally adopted.

AUDITING OF CLAIMS BY RESOLUTION.

The following resolutions were reported by committees in payment of claims presented at this meeting:

By Committee on Alms:

Resolved, That the sum of $60 be paid to Andrew J. Hall for coffins and wagon hire for burial of out-door poor from March 2 to April 10, 1876.

Resolved, That the sum of $181.25 be paid to Ferd. A. Hall for groceries for out-door poor from March 8, to April 15, 1876.

Resolved, That the sum of $52.19 be paid to I. V. W. Halsread for bread for out-door poor March 31 and April 7 and 14, 1876.

Resolved, That the sum of $61.80 be paid to J. W. Johnson for meat for out-door poor from March 18 to April 18, 1876.

Resolved, That the sum of $138.50 be paid to J. T. McFerran & Co. for goods furnished for out-door poor from March 17 to April 15, 1876.

Resolved, That the sum of $4.79 be paid to Richard R Ranken for services as Justice of the Peace in case of abandonment.

Resolved, That the sum of $231.40 be paid to Henry H. Voss for groceries and meat for out-dooy poor from March 31 to April 18, 1876.

By Committee on Printing, Stationery and Supplies:

Resolved, That the sum of $63.75 be paid to Patrick Nicholas for coal for City Hall.

By Committee on Public Grounds and Buildings:

Resolved, That the sum of $20 be paid to Thomas Trotter for carting settees from bath house on Mercer steet to public parks.

The resolutions were adopted.

On motion of Alderman Powell the Board then adjourned.

JOHN E. SCOTT, City Clerk.

JERSEY CITY, N. J.

Proceedings of the Board of City Canvassers of Jersey City.

In compliance with the provisions of an act of th Legislature, of the State of New Jersey, passed March 31, 1871, entitled "An Act to re-organize the local government of Jersey City," and the supplements thereto, the Board of City Canvassers for said city met at the Aldermanic Chamber, in the City Hall, in Jersey City, on Friday, the fourteenth day of April, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-six, at twelve o'clock noon, for the purpose of canvassing the returns of the charter election, held in said city, under said act, on Tuesday, the eleventh day of April, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-six.

The following named Judges of Election appeared and took their seats as members of the Board:

FIRST ALDERMANIC DISTRICT.
First Precinct—William B. Francis.
Second Precinct—John H. Garretson
Third Precinct—Charles Webber.
Fourth Precinct—John W. Winters.
Sixth Precinct—Charles Marks.

SECOND ALDERMANIC DISTRICT.
First Precinct—Richard McAghan.
Third Precinct—James Donnelly.
Fourth Precinct—William T. Dey.
Fifth Precinct—Edwin McGinniss.
Sixth Precinct—Oliver French.
Seventh Precinct—Charles Schnetz.

THIRD ALDERMANIC DISTRICT.
First Precinct—Charles M. Solomon.
Second Precinct—Robert Shannon.
Third Precinct—Peter D. Stilsing.
Fourth Precinct—John Bell.
Sixth Precinct—James W. Smith.
Seventh Precinct—Charles Wood.

FOURTH ALDERMANIC DISTRICT.
First Precinct—John Signa.
Second Precinct—Alfred Bellard.
Third Precinct—John H. Niebuhr.
Fourth Precinct—L. H. McDonald.
Fifth Precinct—Richard R. Conover.

FIFTH ALDERMANIC DISTRICT.
First Precinct—W. L. McDermott.
Second Precinct—Brittain Cooper.
Third Precinct—Jacob J. Van Riper.
Fourth Precinct—William C. Matthews.
Fifth Precinct—John V. H. Van Riper.

SIXTH ALDERMANIC DISTRICT.
Second Precinct—C. W. Chase.
Third Precinct—George W. Daumont.
Fourth Precinct—Garret Vreeland Jr.
Sixth Precinct—Christian Freundt.

On motion of Mr. Garretson, Mr. J. J. Van Riper was appointed Chairman of the Board.

The Chairman administered to the members of the Board, and to the City Clerk, the oath required of them by law, and Mr. Chase administered to the Chairman of the Board the oath required of him by law.

On motion of Mr. Winter, the Board proceeded to the appointment of a messenger.

Jacob Emory was nominated by Mr. Winter, and there being no other nomination, he was appointed messenger to the Board.

On motion of Mr. Chase it was

Resolved, That when this Board adjourns it will adjourn to meet at the Aldermanic Chamber on Saturday the 15th inst., at 2 o'clock p. m.

A motion to fix the hour at 11 o'clock a. m. being first made and rejected.

On motion of Mr. Chase the Board then adjourned.

JOHN E. SCOTT,
Clerk of the Board of City Canvassers.

Pursuant to their motion adopted on Friday the Fourteenth instant, the Board of City Canvassers met at the Aldermanic Chamber, in the City Hall, Jersey City on Saturday, the Fifteenth day of April, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-six, at two o'clock in the afternoon, to resume their duties.

The Board was called to order by its Chairman, Mr. J. J. Van Riper.

The roll was called by the Clerk and the following members answered to their names and took their seats.

FIRST ALDERMANIC DISTRICT.
First Precinct—William B. Francis.
Second Precinct—John H. Garritson.
Third Precinct—Charles Webber.
Fourth Precinct—John W. Winters,
Fifth Precinct—B. W. Robbins.
Sixth Precinct—Charles Marks.
Seventh Precinct—H. F. Cranmer.

SECOND ALDERMANIC DISTRICT.
First Precinct—Richard McAghon.
Second Precinct—Benjamin Otersen.
Third Precinct—James Donnelly.
Fourth Precinct—William T. Dey.
Fifth Precinct—Edwin McGinniss.
Sixth Precinct—Oliver French.
Seventh Precinct—Charles Schurtz.

THIRD ALDERMANIC DISTRICT.
First Precinct—Charles M. Soloman.
Second Precinct—Robert Shannon.
Third Precinct—Peter D. Stising.
Fourth Precinct—John Bell.
Fifth Precinct—Henry Knoop.
Sixth Precinct—James W. Smith.
Seventh Precinct—Charles Wood.

FOURTH ALDERMANIC DISTRICT.
First Precinct—John Signa.
Second Precinct—Alfred Bellard.
Third Precinct—John H. Niebuhr.
Fourth Precinct—L. H. McDonald.
Fifth Precinct—Richard R. Conover.
Sixth Precinct—Henry Astheimer.

FIFTH ALDERMANIC DISTRICT.
First Precinct—W. L. McDermott.
Second Precinct—Brittain Cooper.
Third Precinct—Jacob J. Van Riper.
Fourth Precinct—William C. Matthews.
Fifth Precinct—John V. H. Van Riper.

SIXTH ALDERMANIC DISTRICT.
First Precinct—William Vogt.
Second Precinct—C. W. Chase.
Third Precinct—George W. Daumont.
Fourth Precinct—Garret Vreeland, Jr.
Fifth Precinct—Jacob Sieben.
Sixth Precinct—Christian Freundt.

The Chairman administered to Messrs. Robbins, Cranmer, Otersen, Knoop, Astheimer, Vogt and Sieben,——— the oaths required of them by law.

Whereupon the Judges from the several election precincts, excepting the Fourth Precinct, Sixth Aldermanic District, ——— produced the original statements which had been delivered to them respectfully, and the same were laid before the Board, and the City Clerk laid before the Board the return of election of the Fourth Precinct, Sixth District, which had been filed in his office.

On motion of Mr. Chase, the reading of the returns of Chosen Freeholders and Justices of the Peace was dispensed with.

The original statements and return were read.

The Board then proceeded to ascertain from the said original statements and return the votes given on the eleventh instant, for the persons voted for thereat, and for the several offices mentioned in such statements and return.

The Board then made a written statement of the whole number of votes given for the several officers elected in said city, and for the several Aldermanic Districts, together with the names of the persons for whom such votes were given, and the number of votes given for each, as required by law.

The Board then proceeded upon the above mentioned statement as stated by them, to determine and declare, and as the total vote was announced for each office they did determine and declare what person or persons had received the highest number of votes for each of the offices mentioned in such statement, the declarations of election being made by the Chairman as the total vote was announced for each office.

The following resolution was offered by Mr. Donnelly, and rejected:

Resolved. That the votes cast in the Second District for Garret Haley and Garret Healey for Alderman, be allowed to Garret Haley, Jr.

Mr. Knoop moved, That the vote by which the resolution was rejected, be reconsidered.

On motion of Mr. Chase, the motion was laid upon the table.

Mr. McAghon protested against the declaration of the election of Michael Reardon as Alderman from the Second District.

Mr. McDonald moved, That all motions and resolutions shall be in writing.

Mr. McAghon moved, as an amendment, "That the Chairman shall furnish writing materials."

The amendment was rejected and the motion was then adopted.

The following resolution was offered by Mr. Neibuhr and rejected.

Resolved. That the votes cast in the Fourth District for Henry Powell for Alderman be allowed to Henry J. Powell.

Mr. McAghon moved, "That the Board take a recess for fifteen minutes." The motion was rejected.

John T. Van Cleef, Esq., appeared and asked permission to be heard as Counsel on behalf of Henry J. Powell.

Mr. Donnelly moved, That permission be granted. The motion was rejected.

The following communication was presented by Mr. McAghon, and read:

JERSEY CITY, April 15, 1876.

I protest against declaring Frank C. Fry as Alderman,

R. McAGHON,
Judge Second District, First Precinct.

Mr. McAghon moved, That the Board take a recess or fifteen minutes. The motion was rejected.

The following communication was presented and read:

We, members of the Board of City Canvassers of Jersey City, do hereby protest against the declaring Frank C. Fry to be elected Alderman of the Fourth District of Jersey City.

JOHN H. NIEBUHR,
R. McAGHON,
JAS. DONNELLY,
W. L. McDERMOTT.

The following resolution was offered by Mr Chase, and adopted:

Resolved, That the statement and final declaration of this Board of City Canvassers, be signed by the

Chairman and Clerk, and filed with the statements and return in the City Clerk's Office.

The following communication was presented and read:

We, members of the City Canvassers of Jersey City, do hereby protest against the declaring to be elected Michael Reardon, as Alderman of the Second District of Jersey City.

April 15, 1876.

JAS. DONNELLY,
R. McAGHON,
JOHN H. NIEBUHR,
W. L. McDERMOTT,

Mr. Chase moved, That the statement and final declaration made by this Board of City Canvassers of the result of the charter election be published in the official newspapers of Jersey City.

Mr. McAghon moved, That the motion be laid upon the table. The motion was rejected.

The motion by Mr. Chase was then adopted.

The following resolution was offered by Mr. Chase:

Resolved, That Jacob Emery, the Messenger, be paid $10 for his services.

Mr. McAghon moved as an amendment, That the amount be fixed at $5.

The amendment was rejected.

The motion was then adopted.

On motion of M. Chase, the Board of City Canvassers then adjourned sine die.

JOHN E. SCOTT,
Clerk of the Board of City Canvassers.

A STATEMENT

of the result of an election held in Jersey City, in the County of Hudson and State of New Jersey, on Tuesday, the eleventh day of April, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-six, according to the provisions of an act of the Legislature of the State of New Jersey passed March 31, 1871, and the supplements thereto, made by the Board of City Canvassers for said city:

FIRST ALDERMANIC DISTRICT.

Whole number of votes cast in first polling precinct three hundred and thirty-five	335
Whole number of votes cast in second polling precinct two hundred and sixty-two	262
Whole number of votes cast in third polling precinct two hundred and eighty-four	284
Whole number of votes cast in fourth polling precinct two hundred and seventy-four	274
Whole number of votes cast in fifth polling precinct one hundred and ninety-seven	197
Whole number of votes cast in sixth polling precinct three hundred and six	306
Whole number of votes cast in seventh polling precinct two hundred and twenty-four	224

SECOND ALDERMANIC DISTRICT.

Whole number of votes cast in first polling precinct two hundred and sixty-seven	267
Whole number of votes cast in second polling precinct three hundred and seventy-three	373
Whole number of votes cast in third polling precinct two hundred and twenty-one	221
Whole number of votes cast in fourth polling precinct three hundred and twenty-two	322
Whole number of votes cast in the fifth polling precinct, two hundred and seventeen	217
Whole number of votes cast in the sixth polling precinct three hundred and fifty-three	353
Whole number of votes cast in the seventh polling precinct four hundred and eighty	480

THIRD ALDERMANIC DISTRICT.

Whole number of votes cast in first polling precinct two hundred and fifty-four	254
Whole number of votes cast in second polling precinct two hundred and seventy-seven	277
Whole number of votes cast in third polling precinct two hundred and seventy-five	275
Whole number of votes cast in fourth polling precinct two hundred and sixty-eight	268
Whole number of votes cast in fifth polling precinct two hundred and one	201
Whole number of votes cast in sixth polling precinct four hundred and six	406
Whole number of votes cast in seventh polling precinct four hundred and fourteen	414

FOURTH ALDERMANIC DISTRICT.

Whole number of votes cast in first polling precinct three hundred and forty-three	343
Whole number of votes cast in second polling precinct four hundred and thirty-seven	437
Whole number of votes cast in third polling precinct three hundred and eighty-eight	388
Whole number of votes cast in fourth polling precinct two hundred and forty-two	242
Whole number of votes cast in fifth polling precinct two hundred and nine	209
Whole number of votes cast in sixth polling precinct two hundred and fifty-five	255

FIFTH ALDERMANIC DISTRICT.

Whole number of votes cast in first polling precinct two hundred and eighty-four	284
Whole number of votes cast in second polling precinct two hundred and sixty-two	262
Whole number of votes cast in third polling precinct three hundred and sixty-one	361
Whole number of votes cast in fourth polling precinct four hundred and twenty-one	421
Whole number of votes cast in fifth polling precinct two hundred and thirty-five	235

SIXTH ALDERMANIC DISTRICT.

Whole number of votes cast in first polling precinct three hundred and eighty	380
Whole number of votes cast in second polling precinct three hundred and eighty-seven	387
Whole number of votes cast in third polling precinct three hundred and twenty-eight	328
Whole number of votes cast in fourth polling precinct two hundred and ninety-six	296
Whole number of votes cast in fifth polling precinct two hundred and nine	209
Whole number of votes cast in sixth polling precinct one hundred and ninety-eight	198
Whole number of votes cast in Jersey City eleven thousand four hundred and forty-five	11,445

FIRST ALDERMANIC DISTRICT

Whole number of ballots rejected in first polling precinct four	4
Whole number of ballots rejected in second polling precinct five	5
Whole number of ballots rejected in third polliling precinct none	0
Whole number of ballots rejected in fourth polling precinct none	0
Whole number of ballots rejected in fifth polling precinct none	0
Whole number of ballots rejected in sixth polling precinct none	0
Whole number of ballots rejected in seventh polling precinct two	2

SECOND ALDERMANIC DISTRICT.

Whole number of ballots rejected in first polling precinct two	2
Whole number of ballots rejected in second polling precinct none	0
Whole number of ballots rejected in third polling precinct none	0
Whole number of ballots rejected in fourth polling precinct one	1
Whole number of ballots rejected in fifth polling precinct none	0
Whole number of ballots rejected in sixth polling precinct five	5
Whole number of ballots rejected in seventh polling precinct three	3

THIRD ALDERMANIC DISTRICT.

Whole number of ballots rejected in first polling precinct none	0
Whole number of ballots rejected in second polling precinct none	0
Whole number of ballots rejected in third polling precinct none	0
Whole number of ballots rejected in fourth polling precinct none	0
Whole number of ballots rejected in fifth polling precinct none	0
Whole number of ballots rejected in sixth polling precinct nine	9
Whole number of ballots rejected in seventh polling precinct none	0

FOURTH ALDERMANIC DISTRICT.

Whole number of ballots rejected in first polling precinct none	0
Whole number of ballots rejected in second polling precinct three	3
Whole number of ballots rejected in third polling precinct none	0
Whole number of ballots rejected in fourth polling precinct one	
Whole number of ballots rejected in fifth polling precinct none	0
Whole number of ballots rejected in sixth polling precinct none	0

FIFTH ALDERMANIC DISTRICT.

Whole number of ballots rejected in first polling precinct none	0
Whole number of ballots rejected in second polling precinct one	1
Whole number of ballots rejected in third polling precinct none	0
Whole number of ballots rejected in fourth polling precinct none	0
Whole number of ballots rejected in fifth polling precinct none	0

SIXTH ALDERMANIC DISTRICT.

Whole number of ballots rejected in first polling precinct none	0
Whole number of ballots rejected in second polling precinct none	0
Whole number of ballots rejected in third polling precinct none	0
Whole number of ballots rejected in fourth polling precinct none	0
Whole number of ballots rejected in fifth polling precinct none	0
Whole number of ballots rejected in sixth polling precinct two	2
Whole number of ballots rejected in Jersey City thirty-eight	38

FOR MAYOR.

FIRST ALDERMANIC DISTRICT.

Charles Siedler received in the first precinct ninety-six votes	96
Second precinct one hundred and thirty-seven votes	137
Third precinct one hundred and sixty votes	160
Fourth precinct one hundred and thirteen votes	113

Fifth precinct one hundred and seven votes 107
Sixth precinct two hundred and two votes 202
Seventh precinct ninety-eight votes 98
Total nine hundred and thirteen 913

SECOND ALDERMANIC DISTRICT.

Charles Siedler received in the first precinct fifty votes 50
Second precinct eighty-five votes 85
Third precinct twenty-nine votes 29
Fourth precinct fifty-six votes 56
Fifth precinct fifty-eight votes 58
Sixth precinct seventy-two votes 72
Seventh precinct one hundred and nineteen votes 119
Total four hundred and sixty-nine 469

THIRD ALDERMANIC DISTRICT.

Charles Siedler received in the first precinct one hundred and twenty-one votes 121
Second precinct one hundred and thirty-eight votes 138
Third precinct two hundred and nine votes 209
Fourth precinct one hundred and nine votes 109
Fifth precinct one hundred and forty-seven votes 147
Sixth precinct two hundred and fifty-five votes 255
Seventh precinct two hundred and seventy-seven votes 277
Total twelve hundred and fifty-six 1,256

FOURTH ALDERMANIC DISTRICT.

Charles Siedler received in the first precinct one hundred and sixty-two votes 162
Second precinct one hundred and seventy-two votes 172
Third precinct two hundred and twenty-nine votes 229
Fourth precinct one hundred and sixty-one votes 161
Fifth precinct one hundred and three votes 103
Sixth precinct one hundred and forty-two votes 142
Total nine hundred and sixty-nine 969

FIFTH ALDERMANIC DISTRICT.

Charles Siedler received in the first precinct one hundred and forty-two votes 142
Second precinct one hundred and eighty-six votes 186
Third precinct two hundred and twenty-four votes 224
Fourth precinct three hundred and eleven votes 311
Fifth precinct one hundred and forty-seven votes 147
Total ten hundred and ten 1,010

SIXTH ALDERMANIC DISTRICT.

Charles Siedler received in the first precinct two hundred and five votes 205
Second precinct one hundred and eighty-four votes 184
Third precinct one hundred and eighty-four votes 184
Fourth precinct two hundred and twenty-eight votes 228
Fifth precinct one hundred and twenty-three votes 123
Sixth precinct one hundred and twenty-two votes 122
Total ten hundred and forty-six 1046
Total number of votes receeived by Charles Siedler five thousand six hundred and sixty-three 5663

FIRST ALDERMANIC DISTRICT.

Orestes Cleveland received in the first precinct one hundred and ninety-four votes 194
Second precinct one hundred and sixteen votes 116
Third precinct one hundred and twenty-three votes 123
Fourth precinct one hundred and fifty-seven votes 157
Fifth precinct eighty-one votes 80
Sixth precinct one hundred votes 101
Seventh precinct one hundred and eighteen votes 118
Total eight hundred and eighty-nine votes 889

SECOND ALDERMANIC DISTRICT.

Orestes Cleveland received in the first precinct one hundred and ninety-eight votes 198
Second precinct two hundred and sixty votes 260
Third precinct one hundred and seventy-four votes 174
Fourth precinct, two hundred and forty eight votes 248
Fifth precinct one hundred and fifty-two votes 152
Sixth precinct two hundred and fifty-one votes 251
Seventh precinct three hundred and sixty-one votes 361
Total sixteen hundred and forty-four 1,644

THIRD ALDERMANIC DISTRICT.

Orestes Cleveland received in the First precinct one hundred and twenty-nine votes 129
Second precinct one hundred and thirty-three votes 133
Third precinct sixty-four votes 64
Fourth precinct one hundred and fifty-one votes 151
Fifth precinct fifty-three votes 53
Sixth precinct one hundred and forty-two votes 142
Seventh precinct one hundred and twenty-seven votes 127
Total seven hundred and ninety-nine 799

FOURTH ALDERMANIC DISTRICT.

Orestes Cleveland received in the first precinct one hundred and seventy-five votes 175
Second precinct two hundred and fifty-nine votes 259
Third precinct one hundred and eight votes 108
Fourth precinct sixty-one votes 61
Fifth precinct one hundred and one votes 101
Sixth precinct one hundred and seven votes 107
Total eight hundred and eleven 811

FIFTH ALDERMANIC DISTRICT.

Orestes Cleveland received in the First precinct one hundred and thirty-nine votes 139
Second precinct seventy-four votes 74
Third precinct one hundred and thirty-three votes 133
Fourth precinct one hundred and three votes 103
Fifth precinct eighty-four votes 84
Total five hundred and thirty-three 533

SIXTH ALDERMANIC DISTRICT.

Orestes Cleveland received in the first precinct one hundred and sixty-eight votes 168
Second precinct one hundred and sixty-six votes 166
Third precinct one hundred and forty-one votes 141
Fourth precinct sixty-eight votes 68
Fifth precinct seventy-nine votes 79
Sixth precinct seventy-one votes. 71
Total six hundred and ninety-three 693
Total number of votes received by Orestes Cleveland fifty-three hundred and sixty-nine 5369
Frederic T. Farrier received in the first precinct first district one vote 1
F. T. Farrier received in the second precinct first district one vote 1
Charles Seidler received in the fifth precinct first district seven votes 7
Dan Buckly received in the second precinct second district one vote 1
Henry W. Beecher received in the fourth precinct second district one vote 1
John Dolan received in the fourth precinct second district one vote 1
Daniel Buckley received in the fourth precinct second district four votes 4
Henry Traphagen received in the the sixth precinct third district two votes 2
John McLaughlin received in the sixth precinct third district one vote 1
William Scopp received in the sixth precinct third district one vote 1
No Cleveland received in the seventh precinct third district two votes 2
Orestus Cleavland received in the seventh precinct third district one vote 1
Charles Seidler received in the third precinct fourth district twenty-five votes 25
Henry Traphagen received in the third precinct fourth district four votes 4
C. Siedler received in the fifth precinct fourth district one vote 1
Cleaveland received in the third precinct fifth district one vote 1
Plug of Tobacco received in the fourth precinct fifth district one vote 1
Henry Traphagen received in the first precinct sixth district one vote 1
Chas. Siedler received in the second precinct sixth district thirty-five votes 35
Total number of scattering votes for Mayor ninety-one 91

FOR OFFICERS IN ALDERMANIC DISTRICTS.

FIRST ALDERMANIC DISTRICT.

FOR ALDERMAN.

Edward S Smith received in the First precinct two hundred and thirty-three votes 233
Second precinct one hundred and forty-one votes 141
Third precinct one hundred and thirty-five votes 135
Fourth precinct one hundred and seventy-three votes 173
Fifth precinct eighty one votes 81
Sixth precinct one hundred and three votes 103
Seventh precinct one hundred and forty-one votes 141
Total number of votes received by Edward S Smith ten hundred and seven 1007
Verdine E Horton received in the First precinct ninety-six votes 96
Second precinct one hundred and seventeen votes 117

Third precinct one hundred and forty-eight votes 148
Fourth precinct ninety-eight votes 98
Fifth precinct one hundred and thirteen votes 113
Sixth precinct two hundred votes 200
Seventh precinct seventy-nine votes 79
Total number of votes received by Verdine E Horton eight hundred and fifty-one 851
Isaac Edge received in the First precinct one vote 1
Smith received in the Sixth precinct one vote 1
E V Horton received in the Seventh precinct one vote 1
Stephen Quaife received in the Seventh precinct one vote 1
Total number of scattering votes for Alderman, four 4

FOR DIRECTOR OF BOARD OF EDUCATION.

John A. Parker received in the First precinct, one hundred and forty-seven votes 147
Second precinct one hundred and twenty-seven votes 127
Third precinct one hundred and fifty-five votes 155
Fourth precinct one hundred and fifty-two votes 152
Fifth precinct one hundred and eighteen votes 118
Sixth precinct one hundred and ninety-nine votes 199
Seventh precinct one hundred and five votes 105
Total number of votes received by John A. Parker ten hundred and three 1003
William J. Lyon received in the First precinct one hundred and eighty-one votes 181
Second precinct one hundred and thirty-one votes 131
Third precinct one hundred and twenty-seven votes 127
Fourth precinct one hundred and eighteen votes 118
Fifth precinct seventy six votes 76
Sixth precinct one hundred and six votes 106
Seventh precinct one hundred and seventeen votes 117
Total number of votes received by William J. Lyon, eight hundred and fifty-six votes 856

FOR CONSTABLES.

Richard Onslow received in the first precinct one hundred and forty-two votes 142
Second precinct one hundred and forty votes 140
Third precinct one hundred and forty-six votes 146
Fourth precinct one hundred and thirty-seven votes 137
Fifth precinct one hundred and nine votes 109
Sixth precinct two hundred and eight votes 208
Seventh precinct ninety-five votes 95
Total number of votes received by Richard Onslow nine hundred and seventy-seven 977
Andrew Love received in the first precinct one hundred and twenty-four votes 124
Second precinct one hundred and thirty votes 130
Third precinct one hundred and thirty-six votes 136
Fourth precinct one hundred and forty-two votes 142
Fifth precinct one hundred and seven votes 107
Sixth precinct one hundred and ninety-four votes 194
Seventh precinct one hundred and three votes 103
Total number of votes received by Andrew Love nine hundred and thirty-six 936
Robert Madigan received in the first precinct two hundred votes 200
Second precinct one hundred and thirty-seven votes 137
Third precinct one hundred and twenty-nine votes 129
Fourth precinct one hundred and sixty-seven votes 167
Fifth precinct ninety-one votes 91
Sixth precinct one hundred and four votes 104
Seventh precinct one hundred and thirty-one votes 131
Total number of votes received by Robert Madigan nine hundred and fifty-nine votes 959
Jacob Emery received in the first precinct one hundred and twenty-two votes 122
Second precinct one hundred and twenty votes 120
Third precinct one hundred and thirty-three votes 133
Fourth precinct one hundred and seven votes 107
Fifth precinct one hundred and eighteen votes 118
Sixth precinct one hundred and ninety-two votes 192
Seventh precinct ninety-six votes 96
Total number of votes received by Jacob Emery eight hundred and eighty-eight 888
John Keenan received in the first precinct one hundred and eighty-four votes 184
Second precinct one hundred and twenty-three votes 123
Third precinct one hundred and forty-seven votes 147
Fourth precinct one hundred and thirty-five votes 135
Fifth precint sixty-eight votes 68
Sixth precinct ninety-four votes 94
Seventh precinct one hundred and seventeen votes 117
Total number of votes received by John Keenan, eight hundred and sixty eight 868
James Mann received in the first precinct one hundred and ninety votes 190
Second precinct one hundred and twenty-four votes 124
Third precinct one hundred and twenty-eight votes 128
Fourth precinct one hundred and twenty votes 120
Fifth precinct seventy-six votes 76
Sixth precinct ninety-six votes 96
Seventh precinct one hundred and ten votes 110
Total number of votes received by James Mann, eight hundred and forty-four 844
John Maltby received in the third precinct one vote 1
Elwell P. Hutton received in the third precinct one vote 1
Andrew J. Hall received in the third precinct one vote 1
Total number of scattering votes for constable three 3

FOR CHOSEN FREEHOLDERS.

FIRST PRECINCT.

Edmond F Hanks received one hundred and seventy-two votes 172
Andrew J. Hall received two hundred and four votes 204
Levi D. Coykendall received one hundred and six votes 106
Frederick T Farrier received one hundred and sixty-seven votes 167

SECOND PRECINCT.

Levi D. Coykendall received one hundred and nineteen votes 119
Frederick T. Farrier received one hundred and twenty-three votes 123
F. T. Farrier received one vote 1
Edmond F. Hanks received one hundred and twenty-seven votes 127
Andrew J. Hall received one hundred and forty-three votes 143
A. J. Hall received one vote 1

THIRD PRECINCT.

Edmond F. Hanks received one hundred and twelve votes 112
Andrew J. Hall received one hundred and fifty votes 150
Frederick T. Farrier received one hundred and fifty-three votes 153
Levi D. Coykendall received one hundred and forty-one votes 141
John Keenan received one vote 1
Adrian W. Marinus received one vote 1

FOURTH PRECINCT.

Edmond F. Hanks received one hundred and nine votes 109

Andrew J. Hall received one hundred and forty-one votes 141
Levi D. Coykendall received one hundred and twenty-four votes 124
Frederick T. Farrier received one hundred and fifty votes 150
Andrew Love received one vote 1
Robt. Blackwell received one vote 1

FIFTH PRECINCT.

Levi D. Coykendall received one hundred and sixteen votes 116
Frederick T. Farrier received one hundred and one votes 101
Edmond F. Hanks received sixty-six votes 66
Andrew J. Hall received ninety-eight votes 98
R C Blackwell received one vote 1
J. Knoop received one vote 1
John McLaughlin received one vote 1
Theodore Smith received one vote 1

SIXTH PRECINCT.

Levi D Coykendall received two hundred and ten votes 210
Frederick T Farrier received one hundred and forty-six votes 146
Andrew J. Hall received one hundred and forty-six votes 146
Edward F Hanks received ninety-seven votes 97

SEVENTH PRECINCT.

Edmond F Hank received one hundred and twenty-seven votes 127
Andrew J Hall received one hundred and thirty-two votes 132
Levi D. Coykendall received ninety-nine votes 99
Frederick T. Farrier received eighty-two votes 82

FOR JUSTICES OF THE PEACE.

FIRST PRECINCT.

Robert Whelan received one hundred and ninety-nine votes 199
James Douglass received one hundred and seventy votes 170
George S. Gee received twenty-three votes 23
Robert J. Dalton received one hundred and one votes 101
Henry Steele received one hundred and one votes 101
Frederick T Farrier received one vote 1
R. Dolf received one vote 1

SECOND RECINCT

Henry Steele received one hundred and one votes 101
Robert J. Dalton received ninety-six votes 96
Robert Whelan received one hundred and twenty-three votes 123
James Douglas received one hundred and eleven votes 111
Geo. S. Gee received thirty votes 30

THIRD PRECINCT.

Robert Whelan received one hundred and twenty-six votes 126
James Douglas received one hundred and twelve votes 112
Henry Steele received one hundred and forty votes 140
Robert J Dalton received one hundred and thirty-five votes 135
George S Gee received fifteen votes 15
Robert Whelen received two votes 2

FOURTH PRECINCT.

Robert Whelan received one hundred and sixty-five votes 165
James Douglass received one hundred and thirty-one votes 131
Henry Steele received eighty-six votes 86
Robert J. Dalton received eighty-five votes 85
George S Gee received eighteen votes 18

FIFTH PRECINCT.

Henry Steele received one hundred and seven votes 107
Robert J Dalton received one hundred and five votes 105
Robert Whelan received seventy-eight votes 78
James Douglass received seventy-five votes 75
George S Gee received seven votes 7
Payne received two votes 2
William Allen received one vote 1
Vanderzee received one vote 1
Daniel E Cleary received one vote 1

SIXTH PRECINCT.

Henry Steele received one hundred and eighty-six votes 186
Robert J Dalton received one hundred and eighty-four votes 184
Robert Whelan received ninety-seven votes 97
James Douglass received eighty-nine votes 89
George S Gee received seventeen votes 17

SEVENTH PRECINCT.

Robert Whelan received one hundred and twenty-three votes 123
James Douglass received one hundred and twelve votes 112
Henry Steele received sixty-seven votes 67
Robert J Dalton received sixty-six votes 66
George S Gee received twenty-five votes 25
D S Gregory received one vote 1
B F Woolsey received one vote 1

SECOND ALDERMANIC DISTRICT.

FOR ALDERMAN.

Garrett Haley, Jr. received in the first precinct one hundred and twenty-six votes 126
Second precinct none 0
Third precinct seventy-five votes 75
Fourth precinct none 0
Fifth precinct thirty-nine votes 39
Sixth precinct two hundred and twenty-five votes 225
Seventh precinct two hundred and one votes 201
Total number of votes received by Garrett Haley, Jr. six hundred and sixty-six 666
Michael Reardon, Jr. received in the first precinct none 0
Second precinct none 0
Third precinct eleven votes 11
Fourth precinct none 0
Fifth precinct thirteen votes 13
Sixth precinct none 0
Seventh precinct two hundred and seventy-seven votes 277
Total number of votes received by Michael Reardon, Jr. three hundred and one 301
Garrett Haley received in the first precinct none 0
Second precinct one hundred and sixty-nine votes 169
Third precinct forty-six votes 46
Fourth precinct one hundred and seven-four votes 176
Fifth precinct ninety-six votes 94
Sixth precinct none 0
Seventh precinct none 0
Total number of votes received by Garrett Haley, four hundred and eighty-five 485
Michael Reardon received in the first precinct one hundred and twenty-five votes 125
Second precinct one hundred and eighty-seven votes 187
Third precinct seventy-eight votes 78
Fourth precinct one hundred and twenty-nine votes 129
Fifth precinct fifty-three votes 59
Sixth precinct one hundred and three votes 103
Seventh precinct none 3
Total number of votes received by Michael Reardon, six hundred and seventy-five 675
W. Fowler received in the seventh precinct one vote 1
Marmaduke Tilden received in the fourth precinct one vote 1
Total number of scattering votes for alderman two 2

FOR DIRECTOR OF BOARD OF EDUCATION.

Jeremiah F. O'Sullivan received in the first precinct one hundred and eighteen votes 118
Second precinct two hundred and eighty-three votes 283
Third precinct one hundred and eighty votes 180
Fourth precinct two hundred and eighty votes 280
Fifth precinct one hundred and eighty-four votes 184
Sixth precinct two hundred and thirty-one votes 231

Seventh precinct two hundred and seventy-two votes 272
Total number of votes received by Jeremiah F. O'Sullivan one thousand five hundred and forty-eight 1548
James F. O'Neill received in the first precinct ninety-seven votes 97
Second precinct fourteen votes 14
Third precinct nine votes 9
Fourth precinct two votes 2
Fifth precinct five votes 5
Sixth precinct eighty-five votes 85
Seventh precinct forty-one votes 41
Total number of votes received by James F. O'Neill two hundred and fifty-three 253
James Corrigan received in the first precinct twenty-four votes 24
Second precinct eleven votes 11
Third precinct none 0
Fourth precinct four votes 4
Fifth precinct none 0
Sixth precinct twenty-two votes 22
Seventh precinct one hundred and fifty-seven votes 157
Total number of votes received by James Corrigan two hundred and eighteen 218
I S Broes received in the second precinct four votes 4
Rubenstein received in the fourth precinct one vote 1
Patrick Laverty received in the fourth precinct three votes 3
George S. Plympton received in the fourth precinct one vote 1
John F. O'Neill received in the seventh precinct one vote 1
Total number of scattering votes for Director of Board of Education seven 7

FOR CONSTABLES

Daniel Donovan received in the first precinct seventy-five votes 75
Second precinct two hundred and eighty votes 280
Third precinct one hundred and seventy-three votes 173
Fourth precinct one hundred and thirty-four votes 134
Fifth precinct one hundred and thirty-one votes 131
Sixth precinct one hundred and four votes 104
Seventh precinct one hundred and seventeen votes 117
Total number of votes received by Daniel Donovan one thousand and fourteen 1014
Dennis Farrell received in the first precinct seventy-three votes 73
Second precinct one hundred and ten votes 110
Third precinct one hundred votes 100
Fourth precinct seventy-eight votes 78
Fifth precinct one hundred and two votes 102
Sixth precinct sixty-five votes 65
Seventh precinct two hundred and forty-nine votes 249
Total number of votes received by Dennis Farrell seven hundred and seventy-seven 777
Cornelius Caufield received in the first precinct one hundred and thirty-five votes 135
Second precinct ninety-nine votes 99
Third precinct eighty-three votes 83
Fourth precinct sixty votes 60
Fifth precinct one hundred and twelve votes 112
Sixth precinct forty votes 40
Seventh precinct sixty-nine votes 69
Total number of votes received by Cornelius Caufield five hundred and ninety-eight 598
Richard Webb received in the first precinct twenty-seven votes 27
Second precinct fourteen votes 14
Third precinct four votes 4
Fourth precinct one vote 1
Fifth precinct three votes 3
Sixth precinct five votes 5
Seventh precinct three votes 3
Total number of votes received by Richard Webb fifty-seven 57
James McCann received in the First precinct eighty-three votes 83
Second precinct none 0
Third precinct eight votes 8
Fourth precinct two votes 2
Fifth precinct twenty- ne votes 21
Sixth precinct one hundred and fifty-four votes 154
Seventh precinct eighty-seven votes 87
Total number of votes received by James McCann three hundred and fifty-five 355
Patrick Tracy received in the First precinct forty one votes 41
Second precinct sixty-two votes 62
Third precinct twenty-two votes 22
Fourth precinct thirty-four votes 34
Fifth precinct thirty-three votes 33
Sixth precinct one hundred and ninety-five votes 195
Seventh precinct one hundred and twenty-five votes 125
Total number of votes received by Patrick Tracey five hundred and twelve votes 512
James O'Connor received in the First precinct one hundred and thirteen votes 113
Second precinct ninety-one votes 91
Third precinct sixty-seven votes 67
Fourth precinct one hundred and twenty-seven votes 127
Fifth precinct forty-eight votes 48
Sixth precinct eighty-two votes 82
Seventh precinct one hundred and twenty-votes 120
Total number of votes received by James O'Connor six hundred and forty-eight 648
Patrick McGinnis received in the First precinct sixty votes 60
Second precinct seventy-eight votes 78
Third precinct forty-three votes 43
Fourth precinct one hundred and seventeen votes 117
Fifth precinct forty-five votes 45
Sixth precinct one hundred and ninety-five votes 195
Seventh precinct three hundred and fifty-two votes 352
Total number of votes received by Patrick McGinnis eight hundred and ninety 890
James Sheridan received in the First precinct fifty votes 50
Second precinct one hundred and forty-five votes 145
Third precinct eighty-five votes 85
Fourth precinct two hundred and twenty-nine votes 229
Fifth precinct fifty-nine votes 59
Sixth precinct one hundred and twenty-seven votes 127
Seventh precinct one hundred and seventy-nine votes 179
Total number of votes received by James Sheridan eight hundred and seventy-four 874
McCann received in the second precinct ten votes 10
Wm. McLaughlin received in the second precinct one vote 1
James Giles received in the fourth precinct one vote 1
Coots Hobson received in the fourth precinct one vote 1
H F. Crawford received in the fourth precinct one vote 1
W. L. Schopp received in the fourth precinct one vote 1
Richard Webb received in the fourth precinct one vote 1
Total number of scattering votes for constable sixteen 16

FOR CHOSEN FREEHOLDERS.

FIRST PRECINCT.

James Harper received eighty-four votes 84
Philip Reilly received seventy-nine votes 79
Daniel Hartigan received eighteen votes 18
Bernard McCarty received eighty-one votes 81
Patrick McPhillips received one hundred and sixteen votes 116
Michael O'Grady received ninety-seven votes 97

SECOND PRECINCT.

James Harper received one hundred and twenty-eight votes 128
Patrick McPhillips received one hundred and sixty-one votes 161
Michael O'Grady received one hundred and sixty-four votes 164
Bernard McCarty received one hundred and seventeen votes 117
Daniel Hartigan received forty votes 40
Philip Reilly received thirteen votes 13
Stuart received one vote

THIRD PRECINCT.

Pat McPhillips received seventy-four votes 74
Michael O'Grady received one hundred and sixty-four votes 164
Jas. Harper received thirty-four votes 34
Bernard McCarty received eighty-four votes 84
Philip Riley received six votes 6
Daniel Hartigan received eight votes 8

FOURTH PRECINCT.

Robert C. Blackwell received one vote 1
John Knoop received one vote 1
James Harper received one hundred and fourteen votes 114
Andrew Fasch received one vote 1
Patrick McPhillips received two hundred and forty-one votes 241
Michael O'Grady received one hundred and twenty-eight votes 128
Philip Reilly received two votes 2
Bernard McCarty received forty-four votes 44
Daniel Hartigan received six votes 6

FIFTH PRECINCT.

Phillip Reily received twenty-one votes 21
Bernard McCarty seventy-eight votes 78
James Harper received forty-one votes 41
Patrick McPhillips received fifty-six votes 56
Michael O'Grady received one hundred and twenty votes 120
Daniel Hartigan received eight votes 8

SIXTH PRECINCT.

Philip Reilly received one hundred seventy-nine votes 179
Daniel Hartigan received twenty-one votes 21
Michael O'Grady received thirty-four votes 34
Bernard McCarthy received one hundred and fifty-two votes 152
Patrick McPhillips received ninety-seven votes 97
James Harper received one hundred and sixty-six votes 166

SEVENTH PRECINCT.

James Harper received three hundred and sixty-five votes 365
Michael O'Grady received sixty-four votes 64
Philip Reilly received ninety votes 90
Daniel Hartigan received three votes 3
Bernard McCarty received one hundrd and sixty-four votes 164
Patrick McPhillips received one hundred and thirty-eight votes 138

FOR JUSTICES OF THE PEACE.

FIRST PRECINCT.

Patrick O'Connor received one hundred and fifteen votes 115
Gustav Raich received one hundred and nine votes 109
Smith Henderson received one hundred and eleven votes 111
Charles Maxwell received sixty-six votes 66
James T. Burk received sixty-one votes 61
John W. Stewart received sixty-eight votes 68
John D. Harrington received fifty-eight votes 58
Michael Foley received thirty-rne votes 31
John C. Can received sixteen votes 16

SECOND PRECINCT.

Chas. Maxwell received one hundred and twelve votes 112
James T. Burke received one hundred and twenty-three votes 123
John W. Stewart received one hundred and eighty-seven votes 187
Pat. O'Connor received seventy-six votes 76
Smith Henderson received one hundred and eighty votes 180
Gustav Raisch received one hundred and fifty votes 150
John D. Harrington received thirty-four votes 34
John C. Carr received fifty-six votes 56
Michael Foley received twelve votes 12
Dennis Farrell received one vote 1
Mich. Foley received twelve votes 12
Harriot received one vote 1
Webb received one vote 1

THIRD PRECINCT.

Smith Henderson received eighty-three votes 83
John W. Stewart received one hundred and seventeen votes 117
Charles Raishe received sixteen votes 16
Gustav Raish received fifty-two votes 52
John C. Carr received eleven votes 11
James T. Burk (unexpired term) received ninety-three votes 93
Jas. D. Harrington received forty-two votes 42
Michael Foley received seven votes 7
Patr. O'Connor received forty-three votes 43
Charles Maxwell received seventy-six votes 76

FOURTH PRECINCT.

Patrick O'Connor received one hundred and thirty-six votes 136
James T. Burke received eighty-nine votes 89
Gustav Raisch received one hundred and seventy-seven votes 177
John D. Harrington received ten votes 10
Smith Henderson received one hundred and seventy-nine votes 179
Charles Maxwell received sixty-eight votes 68
John W. Stewart received ninety votes 90
W. H. McDonald received one vote 1
Charles Rasche received two votes 2

Unexpired term of Bernhard Halligan, deceased:

John C. Carr received sixty-nine votes 69
J. Reily received one vote 1
Michael Foley received two votes 2

FIFTH PRECINCT.

Patrick O'Conner received forty votes 40
Smith Henderson received ninety-two votes 92
Gustav Raisch received eighty votes 80
John C. Carr received forty-one votes 41
Michael Foley received 3 votes 3
Charles Maxwell received ninety-nine votes 99
James T. Burke received one hundred and four votes 104
John W. Stewart received one hundred and nine votes 109
John D. Harrington received ten votes 10

SIXTH PRECINCT.

John W. Stewart received one hundred and forty-three votes 143
Charles Maxwell received one hundred and fifteen votes 115
Patrick O'Connor received one hundred and eighty-one votes 181
John D. Harrington received thirty-five votes 35
Michael Foley received sixty-six votes 66
James T. Burke received twenty-eight votes 28
Smith Henderson received one hundred and thirty-seven votes 137
Gustav Raisch received one hundred and forty-four votes 144

To fill unexpired term of Bernard Halligan:

John C. Carr received fifty-seven votes 57

SEVENTH PRECINCT.

Charles Maxwell received three hundred and seventeen votes 317
John Harrington received nine votes 9
Michael Foley received forty-five votes 45
James T. Burke received ninety-two votes 92
John C. Carr received forty-seven votes 47
John W. Stewart received eighty-three votes 83
Patrick O'Connor received two hundred and ninety-six votes 296
Gustav Raisch received one hundred and twenty-eight votes 128
Smith Henderson received one hundred and forty votes 140

THIRD ALDERMANIC DISTRICT.

FOR ALDERMAN.

Marmaduke Tilden received in the First precinct one hundred and seven votes 107
Second precinct one hundred and twenty one votes 121
Third precinct one hundred and seventy-one votes 171
Fourth precinct one hundred and six votes 106
Fifth precinct one hundred and thirty-two votes 132
Sixth precinct two hundred and thirty-one votes 231
Seventh precinct two hundred and fifty-seven votes 257

Total number of votes received by Marmaduke Tilden one thousand one hundred and twenty-five 1125

Wesley R. Hoffman received in the First precinct one hundred and forty-one votes 141
Second precinct one hundred and forty-five votes 145
Third precinct eighty-seven votes 87
Fourth precinct one hundred and fifty-nine votes 159
Fifth precinct sixty-four votes 64
Sixth precinct one hundred and fifty-eight votes 158
Seventh precinct one hundred and forty-nine votes 149

Total number of votes received by Wesley R. Hoffman nine hundred and three 903

John McLaughlin received in the First precinct one vote 1
Conrad A. Hotaling received in the Second precinct one vote 1
James I Costar received in the Third precinct two votes 2
Michael Reardon received in the Third precinct one vote 1
Garret Healy received in the Third precinct two votes 2
Conrad A. Hotaling received in the Fifth precinct one vote 1
Hoffman received in the Fifth precinct one vote 1
Michael Rearden jr. received in the seventh precinct one vote 1
Michael Rearden received in the seventh precinct one vote 1

Total number of scattering votes for Alderman eleven 11

FOR DIRECTOR OF BOARD OF EDUCATION.

George S. Plympton received in the first precinct one hundred and eleven votes 111
Second precinct one hundred and twenty votes 120
Third precinct one hundred and seventy-two votes 172
Fourth precinct ninety-nine votes 99
Fifth precinct one hundred and twenty-three

votes 123
Sixth precinct two hundred and twenty-six votes 226
Seventh precinct two hundred and forty-nine votes 249
Total number of votes received by George S. Plympton one thousand one hundred 1100
Conrad A. Hotaling received in the first precinct one hundred and forty votes 140
Second precinct one hundred and forty-nine votes 149
Third precinct eighty-nine votes 89
Fourth precinct one hundred and sixty-seven votes 167
Fifth precinct seventy votes 70
Sixth precinct one hundred and seventy votes 170
Seventh precinct one hundred and forty-six votes 146
Total number of votes received by Conrad A. Hotaling nine hundred and thirty-one votes 931
Marmaduke Tilden received in the second precinct two votes 2
Orestes Cleveland received in the third precinct one vote 1
James F. O'Neil received in the third precinct one vote 1
C. H. Hotaling received in the fifth precinct one vote 1
F. E. Paterson received in the sixth precinct one vote 1
Wesley R. Hoffman received in the seventh precinct one vote 1
The. Van Wert received in the seventh precinct one vote 1
James F. O'Neil received in the seventh precinct one vote 1
Jeremiah F. O'Sullivan received in the seventh precinct one vote 1
Total number of scattering votes for Directors of Board of Education ten 10

FOR CONSTABLES.

Henry F. Crawford received in the first precinct one hundred and fifteen votes 115
Second precinct one hundred and thirty-eight votes 138
Third precinct one hundred and ninety-three votes 193
Fourth precinct one hundred and nine votes 109
Fifth precinct one hundred and forty-three votes 143
Sixth precinct two hundred and sixty-seven votes 267
Seventh precinct two hundred and sixty-two votes 262
Total number of votes received by Henry F. Crawford one thousand two hundred and twenty-seven 1227
William L. Schopp received in the first precinct one hundred and twelve votes 112
Second precinct one hundred and twenty-nine votes 129
Third precinct one hundred and ninety votes 190
Fourth precinct one hundred and eight votes 108
Fifth precinct one hundred and forty-four votes 144
Sixth precinct two hundred and thirty-six votes 236
Seventh precinct two hundred and fifty four votes 254
Total number of votes received by William L. Schopp one thousand one hundred and seventy-three 1173
Alfred J. Alldridge received in the first precinct ninety-two votes 92
Second precinct one hundred and seventeen votes 1179
Third precinct one hundred and seventy-eight votes 178
Fourth precinct ninety-nine votes 9
Fifth precinct one hundred and thirty-three votes 133
Sixth precinct one hundred and eighty votes 180
Seventh precinct two hundred and twelve votes 212
Total number of votes received by Alfred J. Alldridge one thousand and eleven 1011
George Smith received in the first precinct one hundred and thirty-four votes 134
Second precinct one hundred and forty-seven votes 147
Third precinct eighty votes 80
Fourth precinct one hundred and fifty-eight votes 158
Fifth precinct fifty-six votes 56
Sixth precinct one hundred and thirty votes 130
Seventh precinct one hundred and sixty-eight votes 168
Total number of votes received by George Smith eight hundred and seventy-three 873
Michael J. O'Brien received in the first precinct one hundred and thirty-eight votes 138
Second precinct one hundred and thirty-six votes 136
Third precinct seventy-two votes 72
Fourth precinct one hundred and fifty-six votes 156
Fifth precinct fifty-three votes 53
Sixth precinct one hundred and sixty-three votes 163
Seventh precinct one hundred and thirty-six votes 136
Total number of votes received by Michael J. O'Brien eight hundred and fifty-four 854
George Dufrane received in the first precinct one hundred and thirty-three votes 133
Second precinct one hundred and thirty-two votes 132
Third precinct eighty-two votes 82
Fourth precinct one hundred and fifty-nine votes 159
Fifth precinct fifty-seven votes 57
Sixth precinct one hundred and nineteen votes 119
Seventh precinct one hundred and forty-two votes 142
Total number of votes received by George Dufrane eight hundred and twenty-four 824
John McLaughlin received in the first precinct one vote 1
Louis Mohl received in the first precinct one vote 1
John Lochner, M. D., received in the first precinct one vote 1
Isaac Allen received in the second precinct one vote 1
Anna Raymond received in the fifth precinct one vote 1
James Gill received in the sixth precinct one vote 1
Mike O'Brien received in the seventh precinct one vote 1
Daniel Donovan received in the seventh precinct two votes 2
Patrick Tracey received in the seventh precinct one vote 1
Cornelius Caufield received in the seventh precinct one vote 1
Dennis Farrell received in the seventh precinct one vote 1
Louis Mohl, Jr., received in the seventh precinct one vote 1
James McCann received in the seventh precinct one vote 1
Total number of scattering votes for Constable fourteen 14

FOR CHOSEN FREEHOLDERS.

FIRST PRECINCT.

John McLaughlin received one hundred and sixty-five votes 165
Theodore Smith received one hundred and thirty-eight votes 138
Robert C. Blackwell received one hundred and eight votes 108
John Knoop received eighty-nine votes 89

SECOND PRECINCT.

Robert C. Blackwell received one hundred and fourteen votes 114
John Knoop received eight-four votes 84
John McLaughlin received one hundred and ninety-five votes 195
Theodore Smith received one hundred and fifty votes 150

THIRD PRECINCT.

John McLaughlin received one hundred and twenty-seven votes 127
Theodore Smith received one hundred votes 100
Robert C, Blackwell received one hundred and eighty-five votes 185
John Knoop received one hundred and twenty-five votes 125
Phil Riley received one vote 1
Danl Riley received one vote 1

FOURTH PRECINCT.

Robert C. Blackwell received one hundred and thirteenth votes 113
John Knoop received ninety-five votes 95
John McLaughlin received one hundred and sixty-three votes 163
Theodore Smith received one hundred and fifty-seven votes 157

FIFTH PRECINCT.

Robert C. Blackwell received one hundred and thirty-eight votes 138
John Knoop received one hundred and eleven votes 111
John McLaughlin received seventy-eight votes 78
Theodore Smith received sixty-five votes 65
Morris E. Blackwell received one vote 1
Geo. Dufrane received one vote. 1
Maughlin received one vote 1

SIXTH PRECINCT.

Robert C. Blackwell received two hundred and seventeen votes 217
John Knoop received one hundred and ninety-three votes 193
John McLaughlin received one hundred and ninety-one votes 191
Theodore Smith received one hundred and ninety votes 190
J. B. Haight received one vote 1
Conrad Smith received one vote 1

SEVENTH PRECINCT.

Robert C. Blackwell received two hundred and thirty-eight votes 238
John Knoop received two hundred and thirty-three votes 233
John McLaughlin received one hundred and

seventy-five votes 175
Theodore Smith received one hundred and sixty-eight votes 168
Philip Reilly received one vote 1
Daniel Hartigan received one vote 1
Michael O'Grady received one vote 1
Bernard McCarty received one vote 1

FOR JUSTICES OF THE PEACE.

FIRST PRECINCT.

Walter Vanderzee, Sr., received one hundred and forty-six votes 146
Robert Duffy received one hundred and fifty-six votes 156
Frederick Payne received one hundred and twelve votes 112
William Allen received eighty-one votes 81

SECOND PRECINCT.

Frederick Payne received one hundred and ten votes 110
William Allen received one hundred and twelve votes 112
Walter Van Derzee, Sr., received and fifty-one votes 151
Robert Duffy received one hundred and sixty-four votes 164

THIRD PRECINCT.

Walter Van Derzee Sr received ninety-five votes 95
Robert Duffy received ninety-four votes 94
Frederick Payne received one hundred and eighty-one votes 181
William Allen received one hundred and sixty-two votes 162
Smith Henderson received one vote 1
Gustave Raisch received one vote 1

FOURTH PRECINCT.

Frederick Payne received one hundred and six votes 106
William Allen received one hundred and two votes 102
Walter Van Derzee received one hundred and sixty-one votes 161
Robert Duffy received one hundred and sixty-four votes 164

FIFTH PRECINCT.

Frederick Payne received one hundred and forty-two votes 142
William Allen received one hundred and twenty-six votes 126
Walter Van Derzee Sr received sixty-four votes 64
Robert Duffy received sixty-three votes 63

SIXTH PRECINCT,

Frederick Payne received two hundred and twenty-four votes 224
William Allen received two hundred votes 200
Walter Van Derzee Sr received one hundred and ninety-five votes 195
Robert Duffy received two hundred votes 200

SEVENTH PRECINCT.

Frederick Payne received two hundred and sixty votes 260
William Allen received two hundred and eleven votes 211
Walter Van Derzee Sr received one hundred and fifty-nine votes 159
Robert Duffy received one hundred and fifty-seven votes 157
John D Hartigan received one vote 1
Michael Foley received one vote 1
Charles Maxwell received one vote 1
James T Burke received one vote 1
John W Stewart received one vote 1
F A Cummins received one vote 1

FOURTH ALDERMANIC DISTRICT.

FOR ALDERMAN.

Henry J. Powell received in the First Precinct one hundred and sixty-nine votes 169
Second Precinct two hundred and seventy-two votes 272
Third Precinct one hundred and forty votes 140
Fourth Precinct eighty-five votes 85
Fifth Precinct one hundred and eighteen votes 118
Sixth Precinct one hundred and six votes 106
Total number of votes received by Henry J. Powell eight hundred and ninety 890
Frank C. Fry received in the First Precinct one hundred and sixty-eight votes 168
Second Precinct one hundred and fifty-five votes 155
Third Precinct one hundred and ninety-five votes 195
Fourth Precinct one hundred and fifty-three votes 153
Fifth Precinct eight-four votes 84
Sixth Precinct one hundred and forty votes 140
Total number of votes received by Frank C. Fry eight hundred and ninety-five 895
Henry Powell received in the Third Precinct forty-nine votes 49
Edward A. Chapman received in the Fourth Precinct one vote 1
Henry Powell received in the Fifth Precinct five votes 5
Henry Powell received in the Sixth Precinct five votes 5
Total number of scattering votes for Alderman sixty 60

FOR DIRECTOR OF BOARD OF EDUCATION.

Edwin O. Chapman received in the first precinct one hundred and fifty-six votes 156
Second precinct two hundred and eight-four votes 284
Third precinct two hundred and seventy-two votes 272
Fourth precinct one hundred and nine votes 109
Fifth precinct one hundred and nineteen votes 119
Sixth precinct one nundred and thirty-four votes 134
Total number of votes received by Edwin O. Chapman one thousand and seventy-four 1,074
John H. Van Derzee received in the First precinct one hundred and fifty-four votes 154
Second precinct one hundred and thirty votes 130
Third precinct one hundred and twelve votes 112
Fourth precinct one hundred and twenty-three votes 123
Fifth precinct eighty-seven votes 87
Sixth precinct one hundred and eighteen votes 118
Total number of votes received by John H, Van Derzee seven hundred and twenty-four 724
T.M. Norton received in the first precinct one vote 1
William H. Thomas received in the fourth precinct one vote 1
Total number of scattering votes for Director of Board of Education two 2

FOR CONSTABLES.

Thomas C Cornelius received in the First precinct one hundred and fifty-eight votes 158
Second precinct one hundred and forty-nine votes 149
Third precinct two hundred and seventeen votes 217
Fourth precinct one hundred and sixty-seven votes 167
Fifth precinct ninety-nine votes 99
Sixth precinct one hundred and twenty-one votes 121
Total number of votes received by Thomas C Cornelius nine nundred and eleven 911
George Martin received in the First precinct one hundred and seventy-five votes 175
Second precinct two hundred and forty-five votes 245
Third precinct one hundred and sixty-eight votes 168
Fourth precinct one hundred and twenty-seven votes 127
Fifth precinct one hundred and thirteen votes 113
Sixth precinct one hundred and thirty-seven votes 137
Total number of votes received by George Martin nine hundred and sixty-five 965
Patrick Anderson received in the First precinct one hundred and seventy-eight votes 178
Second precinct two hundred and sixty-eight votes 268
Third precinct one hundred and fifty-seven votes 157
Fourth precinct seventy-four votes 74
Fifth precinct one hundred and one votes 101
Sixth precinct one hundred and nineteen votes 119
Total number of votes received by Patrick Anderson eight hundred and ninety-seven 897
Thomas Hopkins received in the first precinct one hundred and fifty-nine votes 159
Second precinct one hundred and sixty votes 160
Third precinct one hundred and fifty votes 150
Fourth precinct sixty-eight votes 68
Fifth precinct one hundred and three votes 103
Sixth precinct one hundred and twenty-one votes 121
Total number of votes received by Thomas Hopkins seven hundred and sixty-one 761
James Bucken received in the first precinct one hundred and fifty-eight votes 158
Second precinct two hundred and ten votes 210
Third precinct one hundred and thirty-eight votes 138
Fourth precinct one hundred and eighteen votes 118
Fifth precinct ninety-four votes 94
Sixth precinct one hundred and fourteen votes 114
Total number of votes received by James Bucken eight hundred and thirty-two 832
John W. Tiniam received in the first precinct one hundred and fifty-eight votes 158
Second precinct one hundred and forty-four votes 144
Third precinct two hundred and eleven votes 211
Fourth precinct one hundred and forty-five votes 145
Fifth precinct ninety-one votes 91
Sixth precinct one hundred and twenty-five votes 125
Total number of votes received by John W. Tiniam eight hundred and seventy-four 874
Patrick Neary received in the first precinct twelve votes 12

Second precinct one hundred votes 100
Third precinct ninety-eight votes 98
Fourth precinct ten votes 10
Fifth precinct eleven votes 11
Sixth precinct six votes 6
Total number of votes received by Patrick Neary two hundred and thirty-seven votes 237
O. B. Littlefield received in the first precinct one vote 1
Pesach Rubenstein received in the third precinct one vote 1
P. V. H. Stout received in the sixth precinct one vote 1
Total number of scattering votes for Constable three 3

FOR CHOSEN FREEHOLDERS.

FIRST PRECINCT.

Felix McKiernan received one hundred and eighty-two votes 182
John B. Ginocchio received one hundred and twenty-nine votes 129
John Feiler received one hundred and fifty-six votes 156
Wm. W. Thomas received one hundred and seventy-eight votes 178

SECOND PRECINCT.

Felix McKiernan received one hundred and ninety-four votes 194
John B. Ginocchio received two hundred and seventy-five votes 275
John Feiler received two hundred and fourteen votes 214
Wm. W. Thomas received one hundred and sixty-three votes 163

THIRD PRECINCT.

John Feiler received two hundred and eighty 280
John B. Ginocchio received one hundred and eighty-two votes 182
Felix McKiernan received one hundred and fifty-five votes 155
William W. Thomas received one hundred and forty-seven votes 147
General Belknap received one vote 1

FOURTH PRECINCT.

John Feiler received one hundred and fifty-five votes 155
Wm. W. Thomas received one hundred and fifty-five votes 155
Felix McKiernan received seventy-four votes 74
John B. Ginocchio received eighty-four votes 84

FIFTH PRECINCT.

Felix McKiernan received one hundred and four votes 104
John B. Ginocchio received one hundred and eight votes 108
John Feiler received one hundred and seven votes 107
Wm. W. Thomas received ninety-three votes 93

SIXTH PRECINCT.

Felix McKiernan received one hundred and twenty votes 120
John B Ginnocchio received one hundred and eighteen votes 118
John Feiler received one hundred and thirty-eight votes 138
William W Thomas received one hundred and twenty votes 120

FOR JUSTICES OF THE PEACE.

FIRST PRECINCT.

Wm McNally (full term) received one hundred and seventy-nine votes 179
Samuel B Derrickson Sr (to fill vacancy) received one hundred and seventy-one votes 171
Charles P Nicoll received one hundred and sixty-seven votes 167
John Wright (to fill vacancy of J H Aldridge) received three votes 3

SECOND PRECINCT.

William McNally (full term) received two hundred and thirty-nine votes 239
Samuel B. Derrickson Sr (to fill vacancy) received two hundred and fifty-eight votes 258
Charles P Nicoll received one hundred and seventy votes 170
John Wright(to fill vacancy of Jos Aldridge removed) twelve votes 12
William McAnally received seventeen votes 17

THIRD PRECINCT.

Charles P Nicoll received two hundred and eighty-two votes 282
William McNally received ninety-seven votes 97
John Wright (in place of Joseph H Aldridge removed) received thirty-two votes 32

FOURTH PRECINCT.

Charles P Nicoll received one hundred and sixty-four votes 164
William McNally rereived seventy-three votes 73
Samuel B Derrickson (to fill vacancy) received eighty votes 80
John Wright (in place of Jos Aldridge removed from the District) received one vote 1

FIFTH PRECINCT.

William McNally received sixty-eight votes 68
Saml B. Derrickson, Sr., received ninety votes 90
Charles P. Nicoll received one hundred and forty votes 140
John Wright (to fill vacancy in place of Aldridge removed) received eight votes 8
William McAnally received one vote 1

SIXTH PRECINCT.

William McNally received one hundred and six votes 106
Samuel B Derrickson, Sr., (to fill vacancy) received one hundred and thirteen votes 113
Henry Aisthenner received one vote 1
Charles P. Nicoll received one hundred and thirty-seven votes 137
John Filer received one vote 1

FIFTH ALDERMANIC DISTRICT.

FOR ALDERMAN.

Henry A Thomas received in the first precinct one hundred and twenty-one votes 121
Second precinct one hundred and fifty-seven votes 157
Third precinct two hundred and five votes 205
Fourth precinct two hundred and fifty votes 250
Fifth precinct one hundred and twenty-six votes 126
Total number of votes received by Henry A. Thomas eight hundred and fifty-nine 859
John S. Sutphen received in the First precinct one hundred and sixty votes 160
Second precinct ninety-six votes 96
Third precinct one hundred and fifty-three votes 158
Fourth precinct one hundred and sixty-five votes 166
Fifth precinct one hundred and six votes 106
Total number of votes received by John S. Sutphen six hundred and eighty 680
James Cumming received in the Third precinct one vote 1
Total number of scattering votes for Alderman one vote 1

FOR DIRECTOR OF BOARD OF EDUCATION.

William H. Thomas received in the first precinct one hundred and twenty-one votes 121
Second precinct one hundred and sixty-two votes 162
Third precinct two hundred and six votes 206
Fourth precinct two hundred and eighty-five votes 285
Fifth precinct one hundred and twenty-four votes 124
Total number of votes received by William H. Thomas 898
Edward P. Haslam received in the first precinct one hundred and sixty-one votes 161
Second precinct ninety-three votes 93
Third precinct one hundred and forty-nine votes 149
Fourth precinct one hundred and thirty-three votes 133
Fifth precinct one hundred and ten votes 110
Total number of votes received by Edward P Haslam six hundred and and forty-six 646

FOR CONSTABLES.

Thomas B Wandle received in the flirst precinct one hundred and fifty votes 150
Second precinct one hundred and forty-five votes
Third precinct two hundred votes 200
Fourth precinct two hundred and seventy-four votes 274
Fifth precinct one hundred and thirty-two votes 132
Total number of votes received by Thomas B Wandle nine hundred and one 901
Edwin Wescott received in the first precinct one hundred and fourteen votes 114

Second precinct one hundred and fifty-two votes 152
Third precinct two hundred and thirteen votes 213
Fourth precinct two hundred and seventy-eight votes 278
Fifth precinct one hundred and thirty-nine votes 139
Total number of votes received by Edwin Wescott eight hundred and ninety-six 896
Charles Koeble received in the first precinct one hundred and twelve votes 112
Second precinct one hundred and forty-nine votes 149
Third precinct two hundred and fourteen votes 214
Fourth precinct two hundred and ninety-one votes 291
Fifth precinct one hundred and forty votes 140
Total number of votes received by Charles Koeble nine hundred and six 906
Joseph Anderson received in the First precinct one hundred and forty-nine votes 139
Second precinct eighty-three votes 83
Third precinct one hundred and forty-nine votes 149
Fourth precinct one hundred and forty-four votes 144
Fifth precinct ninety-four votes 94
Total number of votes received by Joseph Anderson six hundred and nineteen 6 9
James Murrer received in the First precinct one hundred and fifty votes 150
Second precinct ninety-six votes 96
Third precinct one hundred and forty-one votes 141
Fourth precinct one hundred and nine votes 109
Fifth precinct ninety-two votes 92
Total number of votes received by James Murrer five hundred and eighty-eight 588
Joseph Dufrane received in the First precinct ninety votes 90
Second precinct one hundred votes 100
Third precinct seventy-eight votes 78
Fourth precinct eighty-five votes 85
Fifth precinct eighty three votes 85
Total number of votes received by Joseph Dufrane four hundred and thirty-six 436
Saml J Austin received in the First precinct one vote 1
Edward Benson received in the Second precinct one vote 1
Edward Benson received in the Third precinct one vote 1
John W Welsh received in the Third precinct one vote 1
Edward Benson received in the Fourth precinct two votes 2
Anderson received in the Fourth precinct one vote 1
Henry Author received in the Fifth precinct one vote 1
Total number of scattering votes for Constable eight 8

FOR CHOSEN FREEHOLDERS.

FIRST PRECINCT.

William Frost received ninety-seven votes 97
Samuel J. Austin received seventy-two votes 72
Abraham Speer received one hundred and sixty-three votes 163
Henry O. Van Gelder received one hundred and twenty votes 120
James Cummings received ninety votes 90

SECOND PRECINCT.

William Frost received one hundred and twenty-two votes 122
Samuel J. Austin received one hundred and twenty-seven votes 127
Abraham Speer received seventy-four votes 74
Henry O. Van Gelder received thirty-nine votes 39
James Cumming received one hundred and twenty-two votes 122

THIRD PRECINCT.

William Frost received two hundred and four votes 204
Samuel J. Austin received one hundred and forty votes 140
Abraham Speer received one hundred and seventy-one votes 171
Henry O. Van Gelder received one hundred and forty-three votes 143
James Cummings received fifty-seven votes 57

FOURTH PRECINCT.

William Frost received three hundred and four votes 304
Samuel J. Austin received one hundred and seventy-one votes 171
Abraham Speer received one hundred and fifty-six votes 156
Henry O. Van Gelder received eighty-two votes 82
James Cumming received one hundred and two votes 102

FIFTH PRECINCT.

William Frost received one hundred and thirty-eight votes 138
Abraham Speer received one hundred and fourteen votes 114
Samuel J. Austin received eighty-four votes 84
Henry O. Van Gelder received eighty-eight votes 88
James Cumming received forty-four votes 44

FOR JUSTICES OF THE PEACE.

FIRST PRECINCT.

Geo. I Langworthy received one hundred and seven votes 107
Max Salinger received one hundred and sixty-five votes 165
William H. Taylor received ninety-five votes 95
Sam'l J. Austin received two votes 2
Wm Frost received one vote 1

SECOND PRECINCT.

Max Salinger received one hundred votes 100
W. H. Taylor received fifty-three votes 53
Geo. I. Langworthy received one hundred and fifty-one votes 151

THIRD PRECINCT.

Geo. I. Langworthy received two hundred and nine votes 209
Max Salinger received one hundred and forty-seven votes 147
William H. Taylor received one hundred and thirty-two votes 132

FOURTH PRECINCT.

Geo. I Langworthy received two hundred and sixty-four votes 264
Max Salinger received one hundred and twenty-one votes 121
William H Taylor received one hundred and nine votes 109
C. F. Dexheimer received one vote 1

FIFTH PRECINCT.

Geo. I. Langworthy received one hundred and thirty-seven votes 137
Max Salinger received ninety-three votes 93
William H. Taylor received ninety votes 90

SIXTH ALDERMANIC DISTRICT.

FOR ALDERMAN.

George D. Mackey received in the first precinct two hundred and eight votes 208
Second precinct one hundred and ninety-two votes 192
Third precinct one hundred and fifty-six votes 156
Fourth precinct one hundred and seventy-four votes 174
Fifth precinct one hundred and three votes 103
Sixth precinct one hundred and six votes 106
Total number of votes received by George D. Mackey nine hundred and thirty-nine 939
Frederick W. Wright received in the first precinct one hundred and forty votes 140
Second precinct one hundred and ninety-one votes 191
Third precinct one hundred and and sixty-nine votes 169
Fourth precinct one hundred and twenty votes 120
Fifth precinct one hundred and three votes 103
Sixth precinct eighty-seven votes 87
Total number of votes received by Frederick W. Wright 810
Edward S. Smith received in the first precinct one vote 1
Geo. D. Mackey received in the second precinct one vote 1

Frederick Wright received in the second precinct one vote 1
Total number of scattering votes for alder man three 3

FOR DIRECTOR OF BOARD OF EDUCATION.

Jacob J Detwiller received in the first precinct one hundred and ninety-two votes 192
Second precinct one hundred and thirteen votes 113
Third precinct one hundred and sixty-one votes 161
Fourth precinct one hundred and ninety-three votes 193
Fifth precinct one hundred and six votes 106
Sixth precinct one hundred and eighteen votes 118
Total number of votes received by Jacob J Detwiller, eight hundred and eighty-three 883
James C Clarke received in the first precinct one hundred and fifty votes 150
Second precinct two hundred and fifty-two votes 252
Third precinct one hundred and sixty-three votes 163
Fourth precinct ninety-six votes 96
Fifth precinct ninety-nine votes 99
Sixth precinct seventy-six votes. 76
Total number of votes received by James C Clarke eight hundred and thirty-six 836
W J Lyon received in the first precinct one vote 1
John Stanley received in the first precinct one vote 1
D T Detwiller received in the second precinct eight votes 8
J T Detwiller received in the second precinct one vote 1
Jas C Clarke received in the second precinct two votes 2
James Clarke received in the second precinct one vote 1
Total number of scattering votes for Director of Board of Education 14

FOR CONSTABLES.

Abram P. Monroe received in the first precinct two hundred and four votes 204
Second precinct one hundred and fifty-two votes 152
Third precinct two hundred and nineteen votes 219
Fourth precinct two hundred and sixty-four votes 264
Fifth precinct ninety-four votes 94
Sixth precinct one hundred and sixteen votes 116
Total number of votes received by Abram P. Monroe one thousand and forty-nine 1,049
Godfrey Dilloway received in the first precinct one hundred and seventy-five votes 175
Second precinct one hundred and thirty votes 130
Third precinct one hundred and eighty-five votes 185
Fourth precinct two hundred and thirty-four votes 234
Fifth precinct seventy-five votes 75
Sixth precinct one hundred and thirty-three votes 133
Total number of votes received by Godfrey Dilloway nine hundred and thirty-two 932
John W. Stringham received in the first precinct two hundred and two votes 202
Second precinct one hundred and fifty-one votes 151
Third precinct one hundred and seventy-two votes 172
Fourth precinct two hundred and twenty-four votes 224
Fifth precinct one hundred and one votes 101
Sixth precinct ninety-four votes 94
Total number of votes received by John W Stringham nine hundred and forty-four 944
William Burns received in the first precinct one hundred and seventy-nine votes 179
Second precinct one hundred and fifty-four votes 154
Third precinct one hundred and forty-nine votes 149
Fourth precinct seventy-one votes 71
Fifth precinct ninety-eight votes 98
Sixth precinct seventy-one votes 71
Total number of votes received by William Burns seven hundred and twenty-two 722
Joseph Coons received in the first precinct one hundred and forty votes 140
Second precinct one hundred and sixty-two votes 162
Third precinct one hundred and thirty-five votes 135
Fourth precinct forty-nine votes 49
Fifth precinct one hundred and thirty-two votes 132
Sixth precinct ninety-five votes 95
Total number of votes received by Joseph Coons seven hundred and thirteen 713
Abraham Monroe received in the first precinct one hundred and one votes 101
John Stringham received in the first precinct three votes 3
John Keenan received in the first precinct one vote 1
Robert Maddigan, received in the first presinct one vote 1
James Manna received in the first precinct one vote 1
Abraham Monroe received in the second precinct one hundred and six votes 106
Abraham P. Monroe received in the second precinct sixty votes 60
Godfrey G. Dilloway received in the second precinct fifty votes 50
John Stringham received in the second precinct fifty-five votes 55
Abram Monroe received in the second precinct one vote 1
C. H. Kaiser received in the second precinct one vote 1
Levi Campbell received in the second precinct one vote 1
Abraham Monroe received in the fifth precinct seventy-nine votes 79
Abram Monroe received in the sixth precinct fifty votes 50
Total number of scattering votes for constable 510

FOR CHOSEN FREEHOLDERS.

FIRST PRECINCT.

Francis I Smith received two hundred and eight votes 208
James H Startup received two hundred and thirty-one votes 231
John E Smith received one hundred and seven votes 107
Owen Mullaney received one hundred and sixty-two votes 162
Edmund F Hanks received one vote 1
Mary Liner received one vote 1
Andrew J Hall received one vote 1

SECOND PRECINCT.

James H Startup received one hundred and ninety-eight votes 198
Francis I Smith received two hundred and eight votes 208
Owen Mullaney received one hundred and sixty-two votes 162
John E Smith received one hundred and sixty-six votes 166
James H Startup received two votes 2
Startup received one vote 1
J E Smith received three votes 3

THIRD PRECINCT.

Francis I Smith received one hundred and sixty-seven votes 167
James H Startup received one hundred and forty-seven votes 147
John E Smith received one hundred and sixty votes 160
Owen Mullaney received one hundred and fifty-two votes 152

FOURTH PRECINCT.

John E Smith received seventy-eight votes 78
Owen Mullaney received seventy-four votes 74
Francis I Smith received two hundred and twelve votes 212
James H Startup received one hundred and ninety-one votes 191

FIFTH PRECINCT.

Francis I Smith received ninety-nine votes 99
James H. Startup received ninety-eight votes 98
John E. Smith received one hundred and

eleven votes 111
Owen Mullaney received one hundred and eleven votes 111
Stoctort received one vote 1

SIXTH PRECINCT.

Francis I. Smith received one hundred and nineteen votes 119
James H. Startup received one hundred and fifteen votes 115
John E. Smith received seventy-eight votes 78
Owen Mullaney received seventy-five votes 75

FOR JUSTICES OF THE PEACE.

FIRST PRECINCT.

Samuel D. Tompkins received one hundred and one votes 101
Thomas McKee received one hundred and fifty-four votes 154
Michael Simmons received one hundred and fifty-five votes 155
James Douglass received one vote 1
Robert Whelan received one vote 1
Charles Cowper received nine votes 9

SECOND PRECINCT.

Samuel D. Tompkins received one hundred and fifty six votes 156
Thomas McKee received one hundred and fifty-six votes 156
Michael Simmons received one hundred and sixty-five votes 165
S. T. Tompkins received one vote 1
Charles Cowper received thirty-four votes 34
Sam Tompkins received one vote 1
C. Cowper received one vote 1
S. D. Tompkins received three votes 3
Geo. C. Cowper received one vote 1
M. S. Simmons received three votes 3
Sam'l. D. Tompkins received eight votes 8
M. Simmons received seven votes 7
Mike Simmons received one vote 1
Simmons received one vote 1

THIRD PRECINCT.

Samuel D. Tompkins received one hundred and sixty-eight votes 168
Thomas McKee received one hundred and forty-six votes 146
Michael Simmons received ninety-seven votes 97
Charles Cowper received twenty-one votes 21

FOURTH PRECINCT.

Thomas McKee received seventy-three votes 73
Michael Simmons received seventy-four votes 74
Samuel D. Tompkins received one hundred and ninety-seven votes 197
Charles Cowper received twenty-seven votes 27

FIFTH PRECINCT.

Samuel D. Tompkins received one hundred and five votes 105
Thomas McKee received ninety-six votes 96
Michael Simmons received one hundred and one votes 101
Charles Cowper received three votes 3

SIXTH PRECINCT.

Samuel D. Tompkins received one hundred and seven votes 107
Thomas McKee received eighty-three votes 83
Michael Simmons received eighty-three votes 83

We do certify that the foregoing is a true, full and correct statement of the election above mentioned, as the same is produced before the Board of Canvassers according to law, and that the same exhibits the number of votes on the poll books of the several precincts in the Aldermanic districts respectively, and of the ballots rejected—the whole number of the names of the voters in the poll books of the several precincts, the name of each person for whom any vote or votes were given—the number of votes given for each person in each precinct, and the whole number of votes given for each person for each office designated for him, as they appear by the statements so produced and laid before the Board

In witness whereof we have hereunto set our hands this fifteenth day of April, A. D., one thousand eight hundred and seventy-six.

JACOB J. VAN RIPER,
Chairman of the Board of City Canvassers.
JOHN E. SCOTT,
Clerk of the Board of City Canvassers.

A STATEMENT

of the determination of the Board of City Canvassers relative to an election in Jersey City, in the County of Hudson and State of New Jersey, on Tuesday, the eleventh day of April, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-six, pursuant to an act of the Legislature of the State of New Jersey, passed March 31, 1871, entitled "An act to reorganize the local government of Jersey City" and the supplements thereto, for the election of a Mayor for said city and of one Alderman, one Director of the Board of Education and three Constables from each Aldermanic District in said city.

CITY OFFICERS.

Mayor, Charles Siedler.

OFFICERS IN ALDERMANIC DISTRICTS.

FIRST ALDERMANIC DISTRICT.

Alderman, Edward S. Smith.
Director of the Board of Education, John A. Parker.
Constables, Richard Onslow, Andrew Love, Robert Madigan.

SECOND ALDERMANIC DISTRICT.

Alderman, Michael Reardon.
Director of the Board of Education, Jeremiah F. O'Sullivan.
Constables, Daniel Donovan, Patrick McGinnis, James Sheridan.

THIRD ALDERMANIC DISTRICT.

Alderman, Marmaduke Tilden.
Director of the Board of Education, George S. Plympton.
Constables, Henry F. Crawford, William L. Schopp, Alfred J. Aldridge.

FOURTH ALDERMANIC DISTRICT.

Alderman, Frank C. Fry.
Director of the Board of Education, Edwin O. Chapman.
Constables, Thomas C. Cornelius, George Martin, Patrick Anderson.

FIFTH ALDERMANIC DISTRICT.

Alderman, Henry A. Thomas.
Director of the Board of Education, William H. Thomas.
Constables, Thomas B. Wandle, Edwin Wescott, Charles Koeble.

SIXTH ALDERMANIC DISTRICT.

Alderman, George D. Mackey.
Director of the Board of Education, Jacob J. Detwiller.
Constables, Abram P. Monroe, John W. Stringham, Godfrey Dilloway.

We do hereby certify that the foregoing is a true, full and correct statement of the Board of City Canvassers therein mentioned

In witness whereof we have hereunto set our hands this fifteenth day of April, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-six.

JACOB J. VAN RIPER,
Chairman of the Board of City Canvassers
JOHN E. SCOTT,
Clerk of the Board of City Canvassers.

Regular meeting at the Aldermanic Chamber, City Hall, Tues day, April 25, 1876, at 7½ o'clock, P. M

Present—All the members of the Board.

The minutes of the regular meeting of the 18th inst., were approved as printed in manual form, on motion of Alderman Smith.

PRESENTATION OF PETITIONS, ETC.

Petitions, etc., were presented, received and disposed of as follows:

Petition of Carsten Dierckson for permission to remove a frame building from Porter street through West Newark avenue to Frazer Place.

Granted, on motion of Alderman Helms.

Petition of B. Wittnaber, Jr., & Co.. for permission to place a rail 15 feet long with supporting posts, 6 feet 6 inches high at the curb in front of 238 Grove street, to hang beef, &c.

Referred to Committee on Streets.

Petition of Lewis E Wood and Smith Horton for permission to place signs over sidewalk in front of No. 120 York street, and at the corner of York and Henderson streets.

Granted, on motion of Alderman Van Cleef.

Petition of Wm. McKnight for permission to erect a sign over sidewalk in front of premises, 140 Pavonia avenue.

Granted, on motion of Alderman McLaughlin.

Petition of E. T. McLaughlin for permission to erect an awning in front of premises corner of York and Van Vorst streets.

Granted on motion of Alderman Wood.

Petition of Henry C. Harken for permission to erect an awning at the corner of Essex and Washington streets.

Granted on motion of Alderman Smith.

Petition of Charles Kaufman for transfer to him of restaurant license No. 572. heretofore granted to Patrick McLaughlin.

Granted on motion of Alderman McLaughlin.

For transfer of restaurant licenses:

Of No. 803, Jacob Berry to George Gerlach.

No. 284, Philip Lind to 261 Washington street, 1st District.

No. 409, Edward Barry to Michael J. O'Brien.

No. 556, Gustav Raisch to Otto Raisch.

No. 468, Stephen Bailey to 710 Summit avenue, 4th District.

Granted on motion of Alderman McLaughlin.

Petition of Julius C. Weiss for a license as a public porter.

Granted on motion of Alderman McLaughlin.

Petition of Samuel Reilly for transfer of his license to vend merchandise to Bernard McCourt.

Granted on motion of Alderman Powell.

OFFICERS' COMMUNICATIONS.

A communication from the Overseer of the Poor, requesting the repair of the roof of building occupied by him in Bright street, was presented, received and referred to the Committee on Public Grounds and Buildings.

The City Clerk presented a report setting forth that the ordinance passed on the 4th inst., to regulate and control the driving of cattle, was presented to the Mayor on the 10th inst., and went into effect without his action April 20, 1876.

The report was received and ordered filed.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

The Committee on Baths and Armories presented a report setting forth that under authority of resolution of March 7, 1876, leases have been executed for rooms in McPherson's Hall, Pratt's Hall and Library Hall for different companies of the Fourth Regiment, and that lease of premises at 27 and 29 Newark avenue for same purpose has not yet been signed.

The report was received and ordered filed.

The Committee on Laws and Ordinances, to whom was referred on the 18th inst. the petition of the Jersey City and Bergen Railroad Company for permission to lay a turnout at the intersection of Montgomery and Barrow streets, presented a favorable report thereon, submitting the following entitled ordinance, the report recommending that the ordinance be laid upon the table and printed on slips for the use of the Board, viz.:

"An ordinance to authorize the Jersey City and Bergen Railroad Company to lay a turnout at the intersection of Montgomery and Barrow streets."

The report was received and its recommendation adopted.

The Committee on Laws and Ordinances, to whom were referred, on the 18th inst., the petitions of Berthold Wittecke and Michael Gill for the remission of fines imposed for violating city ordinance for selling liquor without a license, presented a report thereon adverse to granting the prayer of the petitioners.

The report was received and adopted.

The Committee on Streets, to whom was referred on the 4th inst., the petition of John S. Sutphen for removal of fences from off line of Jewett avenue, widened in 1872, presented a report thereon, recommending the adoption of the following resolution:

Resolved, That the Street Commissioner is hereby requested to cause all obstructions, consisting of fences, trees or posts, to be removed from Jewett avenue west of Bergen avenue.

The report was received and the resolution adopted.

The Committee on Trade Licenses reported the following resolution on applications heretofore referred:

Resolved, That licenses to vend meat, fish, fruit and vegetables, from a wagon, cart, or other vehicle, in Jersey City, be issued by the Mayor and City Clerk, under the corporate seal of the city, to John Zimmer and Patrick J. Duane on their paying the license fees.

The report was received and the resolution adopted.

AUDITING OF CLAIMS BY RESOLUTION.

The following resolutions were reported by committees in payment of claims heretofore referred.

By Committee on Alms:

Resolved, That the sum of $32.40 be paid to Daniel Brennan for meat for out door poor from March 31 to April 15, 1876.

Resolved, That the sum of $16.25 be paid to James Donley for coal for out door poor from April 1 to 15, 1876.

Resolved, That the sum of $75 be paid to Duff & Meehan for coffin and wagon hire for burial of out door from Feb. 5 to April 5, 1876.

Resolved, That the sum of $165.55 be paid to Freeman, Bro's. for bread for out door poor from Feb. 11 to April 14, 1876.

Resolved, That the sum of $92.10 be paid to Garret Haley for meat for out door from March 23 to April 18, 1876.

Resolved, That the sum of $88.60 be paid to Mrs. S. Hunt for meat and groceries for out door poor from April 8 to 18, 1876.

Resolved, That the sum of $24.20 be paid to James Hunt for meat for out door poor from Dec. 31, 1875 to April 14, 1876.

Resolved, That the sum of $71 be paid to B. McAnnally & Son for groceries for out door poor from March 31 to April 14, 1876.

Resolved, That the sum of $156.97 be paid to L. Munkel for bread for outdoor poor from April 6 to 18, inclusive, 1876.

Resolved, That the sum of $280.50 be paid to Anton Schick for groceries and meat for outdoor poor from March 31 to April 17, 1876.

Resolved, That the sum of $19.50 be paid to Anton Schick for coal for out door poor from Feb 24 to April 15, 1876.

Resolved, That the sum of $108.81 be paid to Thomas K. Simpson for bread for out door poor from March 31 to April 7, 1876.

Resolved, That the sum of $10 be paid to Francis Volk for coffin and wagon hire for burial of out door poor March 16, 1876.

By Committee on Printing, Stationery and Supplies:

Resolved, That the sum of $29.50 be paid to The Argus for advertising and job printing during March, 1876,

Resolved, That the sum of $21 be paid to Philip Becker, for repairing furniture in City Hall from April 7, 1874, to June 3, 1875.

Resolved, That the sum of $4.35 be paid to Peter Dalton, Jr., for work, &c., locks and keys at City Hall.

Resolved, That the sum of $302.78 be paid to

Jersey City Gas Light Co. for gas consumed in City Hall from Jan. 1 to April 1, 1876.

Resolved, That the sum of $101 25 be paid to McAvoy Bros., for stationery furnished at City Clerk's office from January 26, to April 15, 1876.

Resolved, That the sum of $54.55 be paid to McAvoy Bros., for stationery furnished Overseer of the Poor from February 3, to April 6, 1876.

Resolved, That the sum of $55.50 be paid to Pangborn, Dunning & Dear, for advertising ordinances, etc., from December 24, 1875, to March 16, 1876.

By Committee on Public Grounds and Buildings:

Resolved, That the sum of $19.93 be paid to George B. Lockwood, for plumbing work at City Hall April 4 and 5, 1876.

Resolved, That the sum of $16.78 be paid to Geo. B. Lockwood, for plumbing at Mayor's office, April 11, 1876.

The resolutions were adopted.

Claims hereinafter described were presented, received, referred to their appropriate committees, subsequently the following resolutions were reported by said committees in payment of the said claims:

By Committee on Alms:

Resolved, That the sum of $28 20 be paid to Charles Bammesberger for meat for out-door from March 31 to April 24, 1876.

Resolved, That the sum of $25.55 be paid to D. W. Benjamin, for meat for out-door poor, from March 31 to April 15, 1876.

Resolved, That the sum of $81.75 be paid to George Broughton, for meat and groceries for out-poor, from March 31 to April 21, 1876.

Resolved, That the sum of $38 be paid to James T. Burke, for groceries for out-door poor from March 17 to April 18, 1876.

Resolved, That the sum of $33 be paid to Mrs. James Caffery, for groceries for out-door poor, from March 31 to April 24, 1876.

Resolved, That the sum of $115 be paid to Patrick Cronin, for groceries for out-door poor, from March 31 to April 24, 1876.

Resolved, That the sum of $32.70 be paid to Michael Egan, for meat for out-door poor, from March 24 to April 24, 1876.

Resolved, That the sum of $93 be paid H. Fardelman, for groceries for out-door poor from March 17 to April 24, 1876.

Resolved, That the sum of $13 be paid to T. J. Flannelly, for shoes for out-door poor from March 20 to April 18, 1876.

Resolved, That the sum of $46.50 be paid to John B. Haight, for groceries for out-door poor from March 31 to April 14, 1876.

Resolved, That the sum of $17.38 be paid to I. V. W. Halstead for bread for out-door poor, April 22, 1876.

Resolved, That the sum of $37 be paid to Martin Hare for groceries for out-door poor, from March 31 to April 24, 1876.

Resolved, That the sum of $157.52 be paid to Christian Hensel for bread for out-door poor, from Feb. 14 to April 14, 1876.

Resolved, That the sum of $10 50 be paid to Augustus Hill for meat for out-door poor, from March 31 to April 22, 1876.

Resolved, That the sum of $22 be paid to Patrick Hogan for groceries for out-door poor, from March 31 to April 24, 1876.

Resolved, That the sum of $20 be paid to Edward Hope, Jr., for coffins and wagon hire for burial of out-door poor, April 7 and 24, 1876.

Resolved, That the sum of $28.20 be paid to James Hunt for meat for out-door poor, from April 14 to 24, 1876.

Resolved, That the sum of $18 be paid to Mrs. H. Hurley for groceries for out-door poor, from March 27 to April 24, 1876.

Resolved, That the sum of $33.50 be paid to Patrick Joyce for groceries for out-door poor, from March 31 to April 22, 1876.

Resolved, That the sum of $29.10 be paid to Joseph Kelly for meat for out-door poor, from March 31 to April 22, 1876.

Resolved, That the sum of $34.50 be paid to William Kennedy for groceries for out-door poor, from March 31 to April 24, 1876.

Resolved, That the sum of $96.50 be paid to Patrick Kitrick for groceries for out-door poor, from March 31 to April 24, 1876.

Resolved, That the sum of $30,75 be paid to John Lynch for groceries for out door poor from March 31 to April 24, 1876.

Resolved, That the sum of $124.75 be paid to Patrick Malone for groceries and meat for out door poor from March 17 to April 24, 1876.

Resolved, That the sum of $46.50 be paid to Michael Miggins for groceries for out door poor from February 17 to April 20, 1876.

Resolved, That the sum of $74 91 be paid to James Paris for bread for out door poor from March 31 to April 14, 1876.

Resolved, That the sum of $7.47 be paid to Richard R. Rankin, for services as Justice of the Peace, in abandonment case vs. Peter Vogelius.

Resolved, That the sum of $60 be paid to B. J. F. Roberts for shoes for out door poor from February 15 to April 22, 1876

Resolved, That the sum of $88 50 be paid to Andrew Scanlon for groceries for out door poor from March 31 to April 24, 1876.

Resolved, That the sum of $41.50 be paid to Spatz Brothers for groceries for out door poor from April 4 to 25, 1876.

Resolved, That the sum of $17 be paid to Abraham Speer for coffin, wagon hire and grave for burial of Annie Hurley, April 12, 1876.

Resolved, That the sum of $42 30 be paid to Alexander Sturtevant for meat for out door poor from January 14 to April 18, 1876.

Resolved, That the sum of $18 be paid to Mrs. P. Sullivan for groceries for outdoor poor from March 31 to April 24, 1876.

Resolved, That the sum of $52.75 be paid to I. and W. W. Van Cleef for groceries for outdoor poor from March 25 to April 25, 1876.

By Committee on Baths and Armories:

Resolved, That the sum of $100 be paid to Mary C. Pratt for rent of armory of B Company, Fourth Regiment, N. G. S. N. J., from Nov. 1, 1875, to May 1, 1876.

By Committee on Printing, Stationery and Supplies:

Resolved, That the sum of $22.73 be paid to Timothy Long for incidental expenses as City Marshal from March 31 to April 2, 1876.

Resolved, That the sum of $28 90 be paid to McAvoy Bros. for stationery, &c., for City Clerk's office.

Resolved, That the sum of $22.66 be paid to C. D. Westervelt for cleaning, shaking and laying carpet in Council Chamber.

By Committee on Public Grounds and Buildings:

Resolved, That the sum of $50 be paid to Jersey City Insurance Co. for renewal No. 99,909 of policy No. 89,1 7, for insurance on City Hall.

Resolved, That the sum of $17 50 be paid to Thomas Kennelly for carpenter work at Hamilton Park.

Resolved, That the sum of $213 20 be paid to George B. Lockwood for putting in sewers, &c., in Washington Park.

Resolved, That the sum of $19.65 be paid to George B. Lockwood for plumbing, &c., at Van Vorst Square.

Resolved, That the sum of $18.45 be paid to George B. Lockwood for repairing gas pipe fixtures, &c., at City Hall.

Resolved, That the sum of $27.80 be paid to P. H. Nuzent for supplies for public parks.

Resolved, That the sum of $35.80 be paid to O'Mara Bros. for new galvanized leader and repairing drains at City Hall.

The resolutions were adopted.

On motion of Alderman Brown the Board took a recess for ten minutes.

On reassembling the Board proceeded with

MISCELLANEOUS BUSINESS.

Resolutions were presented, received and disposed of as follows:

By Aldermen Kase, Brown, Soule and Helms:

Resolved, That this Board hereby tender its thanks to President Thomas D. Harrison for the able, courteous and impartial manner in which he has presided over the deliberations of this Board during the past year.

The resolution was unanimously adopted and the President briefly addressed the Board in acknowledgement of the compliment.

By Alderman Van Cleef and unanimously adopted:

Resolved, That the thanks of this Board be tend-

ered to John E. Scott for the faithful manner in which he has performed the duty devolving upon him as clerk of this Board during the past year; and further

Resolved, That as individuals we tender to him our heartfelt thanks for the many courtesies we have received from him.

By Alderman Van Cleef and unanimously adopted:

Resolved, That this Board tender its thanks to Timothy Long for the faithful performance of his duties as City Marshal during the time he has held said office, and the individual members of this Board desire, by this resolution, to express their thanks for his promptness and attention.

By Alderman Powell and unanimously adopted:

Resolved, That the thanks of this Board are due to Alderman Meyer for his untiring efforts in attempting to arrive here punctually from Greenville.

By Alderman Meyer and unanimously adopted:

Resolved, That the thanks of this Board be tendered to the reporters of the different newspapers in this city for their diligence and perseverance in their efforts to obtain news from this Board.

By Alderman White and adopted:

Resolved, That the Committee on Public Grounds and Buildings be authorized to have the roof of building on Bright street, now used by the Overseer of the Poor, properly painted with the metallic paint the same as was used in covering the roof of the First precinct station house, &c., at a cost not to exceed forty dollars.

By Alderman White and adopted:

Resolved, That the Committee on Public Grounds and Buildings be authorized to have the main supply pipe in the fountain at Hamilton Park, which is at present badly broken, properly repaired; also to procure a new fountain jet, at a cost not to exceed forty dollars.

By Alderman White and adopted:

Resolved, That the Committee on Public Grounds and Buildings be authorized to procure for Washington Park a new lawn mower for the use of the park keeper, as the one now used by him is useless, the same not to exceed in cost the sum of twenty-five dollars.

By Alderman Brown and adopted.

Resolved, That the Committee on Printing, Stationery and Supplies are hereby authorized to procure new oil cloth for Aldermanic Chamber and City Clerk's office, at a cost not to exceed one hundred and twenty-five dollars.

By Alderman Brown and adopted:

Resolved, That the City Clerk is hereby directed to procure from the Secretary of State certified copies of all acts affecting the interests of the city, passed at the recent session of the Legislature, and when received that two hundred copies of the same be printed in book form for the use of the different departments.

By Alderman Brown and adopted:

Resolved, That the Committee on Printing, Stationery and Supplies are hereby authorized to procure a new carpet for City Clerk's office, at a cost not to exceed seventy-five dollars.

By Alderman Wood and adopted:

Resolved, That the Committee on Baths and Armories are hereby authorized to cause the public bath in Mercer street to be put in proper order, at an expense not to exceed two hundred and fifty dollars.

Resolved, That the Board of Public Works be requested to furnish water for said bath without charge to this Board.

Resolved, That the Committee on Baths and Armories are hereby authorized to appoint a keeper of said bath at a compensation not to exceed one hundred dollars per month, whose term shall commence May 1st, 1876, and end with the closing of the bath, October 1, 1876.

By Alderman Wood:

Resolved, That the Committee on Baths and Armories are hereby authorized to cause a portion of the lockers in room of engine house in Palisade avenue, near South street, to be removed to Library Hall for the use of "D" Co., Fourth Regiment, the expense not to exceed ——— dollars.

On motion of Alderman McLaughlin the blank was filled by inserting the word "ten," and the resolution was then adopted.

By Alderman Soule:

Resolved, That when this Board adjourns it will adjourn to meet at the Aldermanic Chamber on Saturday, the 29th inst., at 8 o'clock P. M.

Alderman McLaughlin moved as an amendment "That Friday be substituted instead of Saturday."

The amendment was rejected, by the following vote, the yeas and nays having been ordered and taken, on the call of the President:

Yeas—Aldermen Brown, Helms, McLaughlin, Powell and Smith.

Nays—President Harrison and Aldermen Kase, Meyer, Soule, Van Cleef, White and Wood.

The resolution was then adopted by the following vote, the yeas and nays having been ordered and taken, on the call of the President:

Yeas—President Harrison and Aldermen Brown, Kase, Meyer, Powell, Smith, Soule, Van Cleef, White and Wood.

Nays—Aldermen Helms and McLaughlin.

By Alderman Wood and adopted.

Resolved, That the Board of Finance and Taxation be requested to cause the city charter and amendments to be printed in pamphlet form with proper index.

By Alderman Wood and adopted.

Resolved, That from and after the first day of May, 1876, this Board of Aldermen refuse to pay any claim whatever for heat or light supplied to any building or part of a building used or occupied by any of the companies of the Fourth Regiment, N. G. S. N. J.

By Alderman Soule and adopted.

Resolved, That warrants be drawn on the City Treasurer in favor of the following named for payment of salaries for month of April, 1876, when due, viz:

John E. Scott, City Clerk	$250 00
Timothy Long, Marshal	83 33
John E. Hewitt, Overseer of Poor	83 33

By the President and adopted.

Resolved, That the resolution adopted March 14, 1876, referring to Corporation Counsel for opinion, the ordinance presented March 7, 1876, concerning the licensing of pedlers &c., be rescinded, and that said ordinance be laid upon the table.

By Alderman Van Cleef and unanimously adopted.

Resolved, That the thanks of this Board are due to Alderman Smith for his noble efforts on behalf of the widows' and orphans' of this city.

The following entitled ordinance was presented by Alderman McLaughlin, and the same was received, laid upon the table, and ordered to be printed on slips for the use of the Board, viz:

"An ordinance to regulate and control the driving of cattle through the streets of Jersey City."

On motion of Alderman Wood, the Board then adjourned.

JOHN E. SCOTT, City Clerk.

Adjourned regular meeting at the Aldermanic Chamber, City Hall, Saturday, April 29, 1876, at 7½ o'clock P. M.

Present—President Harrison and Aldermen Brown, Kase, McLaughlin, Powell, Soule, White and Wood.

Absent—Aldermen Helms, Meyer, Smith and Van Cleef.

The minutes of the regular meeting of the 20th inst. were approved as printed in manual form on motion of Alderman Kase.

On motion of Alderman Brown the rules were suspended and the following resolution was offered by said Alderman and adopted:

Resolved, That the appropriations of the 25th inst., for the purpose of procuring carpet and oil cloth for City Clerk's office, and oil cloth for Aldermanic Chamber, be increased the sum of not exceeding one hundred and ten dollars.

PRESENTATION OF PETITIONS, ETC.

Petitions, etc., were presented, received and disposed of as follows:

Petition of Peter Earl for permission to place a sign over sidewalk in front of premises on southeast corner of Grand and Varick streets.

Granted on motion of Alderman Brown.

For Restaurant Licenses:—

George B. Branden, 293 Henderson street, First District.

John J. Lillis, 151 Hoboken avenue, Fifth District.

Referred to Committee on Liquor Licenses.

For transfer of restaurant licenses:

No. 199, Cornelius Denahy to 645 Henderson street, 2d district.

No. 296, Peter Kappes to Bergen avenue, Greenville, 6th district.

No. 430, Edward McGinnis to John McFeely.

No. 438, George Miller to John Probst.

No. 534, Michael Fay to H. Joyce.

No. 635, Anton Jacobs to 174 Wayne street, 6th district.

Granted on motion of Alderman McLaughlin.

Petition of Charles Reilly for a license as a public porter.

Granted on motion of Alderman McLaughlin.

Petition of John Murphy for transfer of license (No. 53) to vend meat, etc., to Thomas Golden.

Granted on motion of Alderman McLaughlin.

OFFICERS' COMMUNICATIONS.

The following report from the City Comptroller was presented, received and ordered filed:

Statement of expenditures to April 29, 1876, on account of appropriations for fiscal year commencing Dec. 1, 1875:

Board of Aldermen.	Appropriations.	Expended.	Unexpended.
Out-door poor	$12,000	$11,972 30	$27 70
Printing, stationery and supplies	5,000	1,678 94	3,321 06
Rent of armories and supplies	4,000	1,100 41	2 899 59
Salaries City Clerk, Marshal and Overseer of the Poor	5,000	1,666 66	3.333 34
Repairs to Public Buildings	250	135 80	114 20
Public Grounds, Improvement and Repairs	2,000	894 15	1,105 85
Public Baths	1,000	.....	1,000 00
Fourth of July	3,000	.....	3,000 00
Decoration Day	200	.....	200 00
Numbering of houses	1,000	952 92	47 08
Special appropriation for out-door.	9.000	8,731 61	268 39

On motion of Alderman Brown, the Board took a recess for five minutes.

On reassembling the Board proceeded with

AUDITING OF CLAIMS BY RESOLUTION.

The following resolution was reported by the Committee on Baths and Armories in payment of claim presented on the 18th inst:

Resolved, That the sum of $154 28 be paid to Jersey City Gas Light Company for gas consumed in Armories from January 1, to April 1, 1876.

The resolution was adopted.

Claims hereinafter described were presented, received, referred to their appropriate Committees, subsequently the following resolutions were reported by said Committees in payment of said claims.

By Committee on Alms:

Resolved, That the sum of $48 be paid to John Dust for meat for out-door poor, from March 31 to April 29, 1876.

Resolved, That the sum of $35.75 be paid to George Hierspeel for shoes for out-door poor from March 31 to April 29, 1876

Resolved, That the sum of $29.70 be paid to Patrick Kenny for meat for out-door poor from December 17, 1875, to April 29, 1876.

Resolved, That the sum of $56.10 be paid to L. Munkel for bread for out-door poor from April 24 to 29, 1876.

Resolved, That the sum of $49 be paid to F. W. Schroeder for groceries for out door poor from March 31 to April 22, 1876.

By Committee on Baths and Armories:

Resolved, That the sum of $100 be paid to Mary C. Pratt for rent of armory "E" Company, 9th Regiment, from November 1, 1875, to May 1, 1876

By Committee on Printing, Stationery and Supplies;

Resolved, That the sum of $29 be paid to the Argus for note paper and envelopes for Mayor's office.

Resolved, That the sum of $12 be paid to Patrick Cunningham for services as laborer in cellar of City Hall, making fires, etc., for April, 1876.

Resolved, That the sum of $5 be paid to Henry Markstein for 2 dozen towels furnished City Marshal April 28, 1876.

Resolved, That the sum of $174.23 be paid to John Mullins for oil cloth in Council Chamber and City Clerk's office, and fitting and laying the same.

Resolved, That the sum of $126.10 be paid to John Mullins for carpet, and making and laying the same in the City Clerk's office.

Resolved, That the sum of $7.66 be paid to Charles Scott for carpenter work in City Hall.

By Committee on Public Grounds and Buildings:

Resolved, That the sum of $39.23 be paid to John F. Brown for painting, &c., of roof of building, in which is located the office of Overseer of the Poor.

Resolved, That the sum of $48 be paid to John Higgins for services as keeper of Hamilton Park for April, 1876.

Resolved, That the sum of $48 be paid to Michael Kerrigan for services as keeper of Hamilton Park for April, 1876.

Resolved, That the sum of $40 be paid to Geo. B. Lockwood for plumbing work on fountain at Hamilton Park.

Resolved, That the sum of $5 be paid to Geo. B. Lockwood for repairs to gas pipes in City Hall.

Resolved, That the sum of $25 be paid to P. H. Nugent for lawn mower for Washington Square.

Resolved, That the sum of $100 be paid to Edward Reilly for rent of ground, Fourth district, for public pound, for one year, from the date of the commencement of his term of office.

MISCELLANEOUS BUSINESS.

The following resolution was offered by Alderman Wood and adopted:

Resolved, That so much of the resolution of March 9, 1876, as provides for the including the lighting of armory and rooms for use of the Fourth Regiment, at 27 and 29 Newark avenue, in the rental of said premises be rescinded, and that the sum of not exceeding two hundred and fifty dollars be appropriated for lighting said premises during the year commencing May 1, 1876.

On motion of Alderman McLaughlin the minutes were then approved.

On motion of Alderman Brown the Board then adjourned sine die.

JOHN E. SCOTT, City Clerk.

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